

# SKULL FRACTURED

## Foul Play Suspected in the John J. Connors' Case

John J. Connors was found late last night in an unconscious condition in an alleyway between his house, 15 Watson street, and the next house. The ambulance was summoned and the man was taken to St. John's hospital, where it was found that he was suffering from a fractured skull.

It was at first thought that he might have fallen down stairs, but the finding of a piece of stove lining covered with blood would seem indicate that there might have been foul play. The man is in a very serious condition at St. John's hospital.

# FIFTY YEARS AGO

## Lincoln and Douglass Had Their Historic Debate

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—The semi-centennial of the great debate between Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. Douglass was celebrated at Ottawa, Ill., today, on the spot where the "great emancipator" and the "little giant" stood during their argument 50 years ago. A monument marking the spot in Washington park was unveiled by Illinois chapter, Daughters of the Revolution.

A 24-ton boulder has been brought from the farm of Moab Trumbo and emplaced on a concrete base in the park. On the face of the boulder a tablet bears the following inscription:

"This boulder marks the site of the first Lincoln and Douglass debate, held August 21, 1858. Erected by the Illinois chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, Ottawa, Ill., Aug. 21, 1908."

The celebration was directed by the LaSalle county Historical association. The unveiling ceremonies were arranged under the auspices of the Daughters of the Revolution who gathered the funds for the installation of the monument.

# SHOT TO DEATH

## Terrible Vengeance Wrought on a Jewish Family

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—News has reached this city of a terrible vengeance taken by the revolutionists of Yurievka, in Yekaterininsk province, upon a Jewish family named Edelstein who were accused of giving information to the authorities regarding the activities of the agitators. They visited the Edelstein house at night and threw two bombs through the window. Then then shot to death the father, a daughter, a woman guest and her child. The mother, a son, a son-in-law, and two grandsons were severely wounded.

The revolutionists temporarily retried and help for the wounded was summoned. In the course of a couple of hours the victims who were still alive had been conveyed to a hospital. Not satisfied with their vengeance the revolutionists, now a well armed band of about 40 or 50 men, descended upon the hospital, overpowered the nurses and guards and shot the mother and son to death, after which they escaped.

Another despatch from the provinces received here says that the prisoners in the jail at Saratov, upon discovering that two of their comrades were traitors, beat them to death.

# AN ARMED POSSE

## Searching for Men Who Shot at Real Estate Man

WESTWOOD, Aug. 21.—Albert Dean, a prominent real estate owner of this town, aroused his neighbors and other persons in the vicinity about six a. m. today with the report that he had been shot at by two men, who he believed to be discharged employees, about an hour earlier. A large force armed with revolvers and shot guns, was at once organized, and search of the nearby wood made, but up to 10 a. m. no trace of any suspicious characters had been discovered.

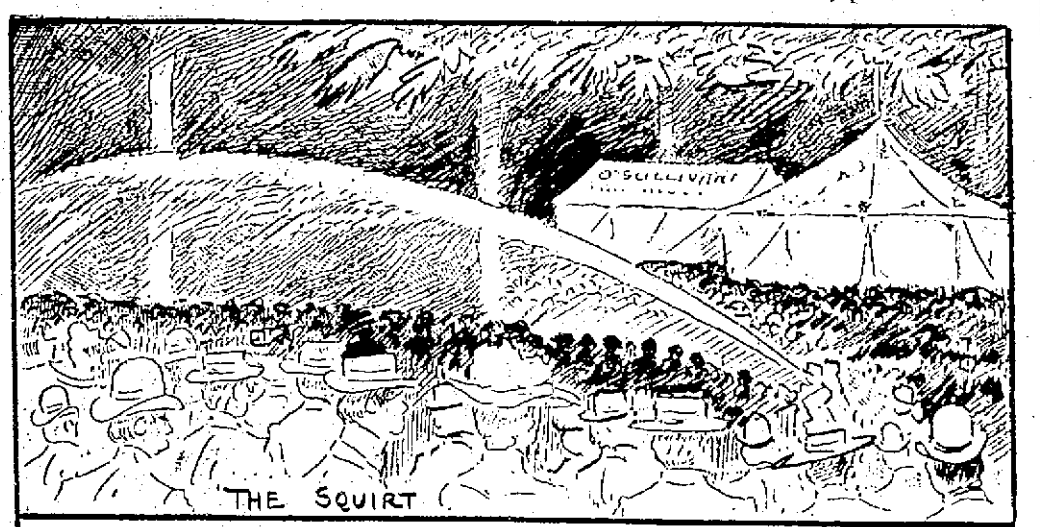
Mr. Dean is engaged in installing a water supply system by means of driven wells and lines of pipes to his own house and those of his neighbors. Among the men employed were two Italians but as both were not satisfactory he discharged them last Saturday. On leaving both men, Mr. Dean declared, acted in a threatening manner, and vowed vengeance.

This morning while passing along the road near his house he was startled by two shots being fired from behind a wall, and hearing bullets pass close to him. The shots came at about the same time from different parts of the wall which showed that two men were engaged in the affair. Mr. Dean hurried back to the house, but had some difficulty in getting together a searching party as it was quite early in the day. About a hundred men, including railroad and street railway employees gathered and under the direction of several police officers a search was begun. The band worked carefully through the woods in the vicinity, but at 10 a. m. had not been able to find any trace of any Italians.

It was the opinion of several of the officers, that the two men went directly to a nearby railroad station and boarded a train either for Boston or Providence.

# WINDUP OF MUSTER

## Banquet to Firemen and Others at Associate Hall



### Fine Entertainment With Addresses by Hon. John N. Cole, Mayor Farnham, Col. Carmichael, Humphrey O'Sullivan and Others—The Event a Great Success

The festivities of Muster day were appropriately closed with a banquet given by Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan to 300 guests, in Associate hall last evening. With Mr. O'Sullivan as host it is unnecessary to state that the banquet was characterized by the lavish nature of the Page-Exans combination catered, the Lowell Cadet band furnished instrumental music and the 20th Century Bachelor club, which includes the cream of Lowell's male singers, gave a delightful minstrel first part between the courses. For post-prandial exercises there was Prof. Hugh J. Molloy of the Normal school as toastmaster and such noted speakers as Hon. John N. Cole and Joe M. Chaplin, editor of the National magazine, and several others well known locally.

Mr. O'Sullivan, the host, was cheered and congratulated on all sides and when called upon for a speech responded most gracefully expressing his thanks to all who assisted in making the day a success and emphasizing the fact that a veteran firemen's organization such as the Butler Vets was a valuable asset to any city. Before the festivities concluded President Randall of the New England Veteran Firemen's league asked permission to say a few words and expressed the sincere thanks of the association to Mr. O'Sullivan and the Butlers for their hospitality, courtesy and for making the affair the greatest firemen's muster in history. He stated that the name of "Lowell" would long be remembered with keen delight by every veteran fireman who had attended.

The banquet was called at 8.30, at Rag Baby (joke). Luke McDonald

which hour Mr. O'Sullivan and his guests marched to the tables to the music of the Cadet band, which occupied a place in the gallery. A curtain drawn across the stage indicated that there would be something doing behind it in a short time.

When all had seated a menu consisting of tomato soup with bread sticks, flet of beef with mushrooms, cold turkey, lobster salad, sultana rolls, coffee and cigars was enjoyed. Shortly after the guests had become seated, Prof. Dick Noonan appeared upon the scene and proceeded to tickle the ivories. Then from behind the curtain came a pleasing chorus and when the veil was removed the 20th Century Bachelor club stood in a semi-circle before the guests, with Charlie Slattery in the centre as interlocutor, the singers arrayed in white negligee shirts and dark trousers and the end men in black face and grotesque attire. Dan McCaffery, who is singing at a local theatre, appeared as a veteran fireman in full uniform and with a delightful bunch of Billy-goat whiskers which he could make perform. The Bachelors then gave the following program:

Opening Chorus ..... Company Love Dreams ..... Dan McCaffery Eph. Johnson (joke) ..... Bert Ellis Why did they sell Kilkenny? ..... Jas. E. Donnelly Somebody Lied (joke) ..... Tip Handley Take us with you in your dream, ..... Martin Maguire Buck Dance ..... Jas. Powers Ireland, I Love You ..... Frank Connor Quartet: Maguire, Golden, Curry, Moore Love Baby (joke) ..... Luke McDonald

Believe Me ..... John Dalton True Heart (finale) ..... John Gleason Middle Man—Chas. D. Slattery. "Tip" Handley made a big hit with his song "Somebody Lied," for he rang in a verse about Humphrey and George Fred Williams at Lincoln which took the crowd. But the hit of the program was the Glendale quartet, which wound up its medley with the rendition of "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" which it sang with vim, and the guests insisted that it be sung three times.

HON. JOHN N. COLE

The post-prandial exercises were opened by Prof. Molloy, who after a characteristically graceful speech of welcome introduced as the first speaker the Hon. John N. Cole, speaker of the house of representatives. Speaker Cole received an ovation, which indicated that if Lowell had anything to do with it, one of the other candidates would be spelling his name "Loose" while the third would be Frothingham, at the mouth only.

It was a day and a night to make one forget all his troubles, including politics, and the speaker entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion, and soon had the audience continued to last page.

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# HELD IN \$2900

## George Alicks is Charged With Manslaughter

George Alicks was arraigned before Judge John J. Pickman in police court this morning on two complaints, one charging him with manslaughter, having caused the death of John Paraskevacos, and another charging him with assault with a knife. Through his counsel, Daniel J. Donahue, he pleaded not guilty. He was held under \$2500 bail for the grand jury, \$2900 on the manslaughter and \$500 on the assault.

This is the case that grew out of the stabbing affray in Fenwick street on the night of the 13th of August which afterwards resulted in the death of Paraskevacos.

George Banacos who is also wanted in connection with the stabbing is still at large.

# TRIUMPHAL ENTRY

## Australia's Public Welcome to Men of American Fleet

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 21.—Sydney was aglow with life and color yesterday, and surging thousands filled the streets as never before, for this was the day set for the official landing and for Australia to welcome publicly the home and show of the visiting fleet, officers and men. No more triumphal entry of gallant vessels into port was ever witnessed than that of Wednesday when the warships pushed through the haze of the sea, and steamed majestically past the headlands, crowded with a cheering multitude. Today Australians had an opportunity to see the men who brought the ships in safety thus far on their voyage around the world.

From Farm Cove, where the landing occurred, throughout the lengthy line of march, the crowds gave enthusiastic evidence of a hearty welcome. Large bodies of men from all the ships were brought ashore in the morning in launches. They numbered close to 3000. In sections they marched to the outer domain, which adjoins the botanical gardens and formed up on allotted spaces fronting the reception pavilion. There came the admirals and their staffs, who landed ashore on the east side of the cove, where a guard of honor from the British naval force was drawn up. They were met by the prime minister, Alfred Deakin, and the other ministers of the commonwealth, the premier of New South Wales and his ministers, the lord mayor of Sydney and members of the corporation.

Rear Admiral Sperry, commander of the fleet, inspected the naval guard and then with the others was driven to the reception pavilion in the domain, where he was greeted by Lord Northcote, governor general of Australia; Sir Harry Rawson, the governor of New South Wales, and the military and naval heads of the colony.

The scene was a brilliant and picturesque one. The grand pavilion was surrounded by a great golden eagle, glittering in the sunlight, and the curved balustrades were inscribed with the names of the American states. The stands surrounding the pavilion seemed almost buried with flags, bunting and evergreens. These were occupied by the federal and state ministers, the members of the various branches of the legislature, and government officials, many of whom were accompanied by ladies, whose gay costumes furnished vivid patches of color. Beyond the enclosure, masses of spectators grouped beneath wide-spreading trees, and glimpses could be had of the harbor in the distance, with the battle-ships strikingly white against the blue of the water and sky. The brilliant uniforms of the guard of honor from the Royal Australian artillery contrasted strongly with the plain colors worn by the Americans.

Lord Northcote extended the heartyest of welcomes to Admiral Sperry, his officers and men, and congratulated them warmly on the success of the voyage.

After greetings had been exchanged a procession was formed, the lord mayor and officials and the American admirals with their staffs occupying carriages. Twenty-five hundred men from the fleet took part in the procession. They carried arms but no ammunition, in accordance with an arrangement which was made the night before.

A hitch occurred in the original arrangements, when, soon after the arrival of the Americans at this port, it was learned by Admiral Sperry that, owing to the imperial regulations, the landing of armed men in Australia would be barred. Admiral Sperry immediately notified the government that unless his men were taken part in no parade. An amicable agreement was reached on this point, however, without difficulty, the commonwealth government granting permission for the American sailors and marines to carry arms but no ammunition.

The detachments from the various ships were headed by color-bearers and accompanied by the ships' bands. Their marching was commented upon with admiration, and they were cheered on every hand. All the streets along the route were profusely decorated and lined with federal troops and police.

On their return to the domain the visitors were entertained at lunch. The whole city turned out to do them honor, and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed.

# ELMS - KETCHUPS

## Blood Game at Spalding Park Tomorrow

That the Elms of Centralville are out for a game with some strong team is evidenced by the fact that when the Sanctuary choir and the Mathews declined to accept their challenge they immediately took on the Ketchups of Dracont and as a result another red hot blood game will be played tomorrow when the Elms and the Ketchups will cross bats for a purse of \$100 and the entire gate receipts. The game will be played on Spalding park and special cars will be run. The Elms and Ketchups both believe that they can beat each other and the Sanctuary choir and Mathews as well, their Ketchups having strengthened their team since last they met the boys from the North common. Considerable money has already been wagered on tomorrow's game and it is expected that there will be much more put up at the grounds. The Ketchups is the outgrowth of the old Florence team of the navy yard which was prominent in the old Urban and Suburban league, which gave Lowell some of the most exciting ball games ever witnessed here. Tomorrow's game should be fully as interesting as the memorable battle of the Mathews and Sanctuaries recently played at Washington park.

### FUNERAL NOTICES

PRATT—Anna F. Pratt, died Aug. 19, at Standish, Me., aged 56 years. Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of W. O. Wing, 229 Stevens street. Friends invited. Funeral in charge of J. A. Welchbeck.

NICHOLS—Died in this city, Aug. 10, Elijah Nichols, aged 56 years. Funeral will be held from the residence of W. O. Wing, 229 Stevens street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private, in charge of Undertaker G. W. Healey.

LANE—The funeral of Thomas Patrick Lane will take place from the home of his parents, 68 St. James street, tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

# ON DRESS PARADE

Yesterday was Firemen's Day and it was a great affair, but today is New York Cloak and Suit Co.'s day, for

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# LOST HER MONEY SCHOOL ROMANCE

Poor Woman Robbed Has Ended in An Elopement of \$1500

MANSFIELD, Aug. 21.—Pickpockets operating either in the terminal station, Boston, or on a late afternoon train from Boston to Mansfield yesterday relieved Mrs. Samuel Cook, a woman of humble circumstances, of this place, of \$1500 in money and two bank books. The money was part payment of an award by the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. company for the death of Edward Cook, who was killed four years ago on the railroad. He was a fireman.

Mrs. Cook, her husband and their son Grover went to Boston yesterday and received the large sum at the office of a lawyer named Fuller. The family returned directly to the station, and while in the waiting room before the departure of the train Mrs. Cook says she took the 1500 dollar bills from her bag, rolled them up, covered them with a silk cloth, and then placed the package back in the bag.

She thought the money was safe, but when she arrived home she discovered that she carried an empty satchel. Mrs. Cook says she sat alone for nearly the entire trip to Mansfield. "My husband and son were in the car," she said.

The disappearance of the money is considered mysterious by the family. They have no idea when the robbery was committed. The police and railroad authorities, upon being notified, began a search of the train and for suspicious characters, but had rounded up no clue last night. The Boston police are also at work on the case.

The loss caused Mrs. Cook great mental anguish, and it was with great difficulty that friends persuaded her. Her husband was also made ill by the affair. One bank book was from a Newport, N. H., bank, and had deposits to the amount of \$60. The other was from the Boston Penny Savings bank, and showed deposits of about \$100.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 21.—A romance of high school days ended yesterday in the marriage of Miss Christine Leticia Wyer and Ellsworth T. Rundlett, each 22 years old, at the residence of the Rev. Alexander Mitchell of this city, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The young people came from Portland, Me., and left their homes early yesterday morning.

The bride is the daughter of George A. Wyer, a wholesale fish dealer of Portland and Boston, who is considered one of the wealthy men of Portland. He is a member of the firm of Wyer & Trefthen at 75 Commercial street, Boston. Their home is on West street, Portland. Mr. Wyer was at his place of business in Boston yesterday and late last evening knew nothing of the marriage.

Young Rundlett is a clerk for Burnham & Morrill, the largest cannery concern in Portland. His father, Fred E. Rundlett, is the manager of the department store of Brine Bros.

The young people are both graduates of the Portland high school and have been going together for several years, but that they had any idea of a runaway marriage was carefully kept from even their most intimate friends.

Miss Wyer has been summing with her family at Bridgton, Me. Early yesterday morning she returned to Portland and told her aunt, who was at home, that she was going to Providence to spend the day with friends. She left her suit case at home, and her real intentions were not suspected.

Mr. Rundlett did not hear of the marriage until he was told last evening. He said that, so far as he knew, there had never been any objection to the match, and could not see why the young people had not waited.

## AT ST. JOHN'S

PREPARATORY COLLEGE AT DANVERS READY.

The second opening of St. John's Preparatory college of Danvers bids fair to establish a high mark in its history. Founded last year by the Xaverian Brothers, it was the hope of the originators to be able to start with a small enrollment, but so strongly has the project been received of preparing the Catholic youth of New England for college under the eye and direction of religion that applications were far in excess of expectations. With such a large number to choose from it was a very easy task to establish a high mark for qualifications.

The managers, under the direction of Bro. Benjamin, have spent a busy summer preparing for the opening on Sept. 10th.

A magnificent chapel, accommodating 400, a dining hall with a seating capacity of 400 and an athletic and baseball field built upon the style of the Polo grounds of New York are a few of the prominent features. The gymnasium opened last year has been completely fitted out with all kinds of apparatus.

The professors live and mingle with the student body constantly, interest themselves in their sport, frequently participating in their games, direct their studies, and strive by gaining their affection to make what is naturally irksome to the young light and pleasant.

The college can be reached from Boston, Lynn, Salem, Peabody, Lawrence, Lowell, etc., by the B. & M. railroad, stopping off at Ferncroft station, or by the electric-Lawrence & Salem car, or by the Middleton car from Salem stopping at Nichols street, a few minutes walk from the grounds. At Lawrence and Salem connections may be had with all surrounding towns.

# WOMAN'S LAWYER

Says Mrs. Gardner is Innocent of Charges Made

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—That Mrs. John L. Gardner has paid no fines or penalties to the United States customs authorities for goods brought into this country by Mrs. Emily Crane Chadbourne of Chicago, and that the art treasures in question, while owned by Mrs. Gardner, were loaned by her to Mrs. Chadbourne, to be kept in Mrs. Chadbourne's London house to await lower duties, and, finally, that they were brought to this country without the consent or knowledge of Mrs. Gardner, were the three striking points in a long interview given yesterday by Henry W. Swift, trustee of the Isabella Stewart Gardner museum on the Fenway and legal adviser of Mrs. Gardner.

"Mrs. Gardner," he said, "told me the whole story, in so far as she knew it."

Mrs. Chadbourne is at the present time.

"Of course, it was very foolish of Mrs. Chadbourne to bring these objects to this country and not give the full valuation of them. I imagine she regarded them, because of having had them in her own house in London for about two years, as in a sense her own household goods, and it is probable that she thought because of the fact they had been in her house that length of time she could legally bring them to this country as her own household property."

"Do you know that Mrs. Chadbourne has paid this \$70,000 on the goods?"

"No. We know nothing about it. I know that Mrs. Gardner has not paid any money on the objects. I can't un-



derstand, however, if the \$70,000 has been paid, as required by law, why there should be anything further to pay or how the custom officials can hold the goods. But, as I say, we know nothing about the matter, and we have not heard from Mrs. Chadbourne.

## DENIES STORY

"This talk about Mrs. Gardner's protesting when the customs officer talked with her and his confronting her with the price of registered tapestry, when she confessed, is all rot. When the customs officer called on Mrs. Gardner she told him just what I've told you. She explained the circumstances of Mrs. Chadbourne's being in possession of the objects, but disclaimed any knowledge of their having been brought to this country."

"I don't believe the objects are worth any \$80,000, as has been said. They are not worth probably more than \$50,000 or \$60,000 at the outside. I hope Mrs. Gardner will be able to get them, however. They are objects which she purchased in Europe at different times through a number of years. I believe she purchased a lot of them when she was in Europe a few years ago. I don't believe there is any other for any objects of value in the collection as has been stated. Of course we can't tell definitely anything about the matter until Mrs. Gardner hears from Mrs. Chadbourne."

## TAKE BRIDE AWAY

Back to Care of State Board

MIDDLEBORO, Aug. 21.—Edgar French, aged 25, and Ethel Packard, 16, were married last May at Taunton and have since been a fond and devoted couple. But yesterday their life of peace and contentment was rudely interrupted by a visitor of the state board of charities, whose action resulted in their separation and the forced return of the girl bride to the custody of the state board.

About six months ago the couple met at Reading, where both were employed. Their friendship progressed, and in May they decided upon marriage. A license was procured and they started out to find a clergyman who would perform the ceremony. They were unsuccessful in one place and another, till at last at Taunton, where French formerly lived, they secured Rev. Mr. White of the Methodist church to marry them. The bride's worth made it difficult to secure a clergyman to conduct the marriage ceremony.

In the intervening months they were employed together on a farm in this section, and on Wednesday they are said to have arrived at Taunton, where they had secured positions, the young woman in the house hold, while her husband was to care for the cattle.

They were last comfortably located when a strange woman came to the house yesterday and after questioning the girl requested her to accompany her to Boston and back to the state board's charge.

Frenchman was taken by the lady, and it was on her arrival, and the girl went alone, we are told.

Young French says he will at once start to get his wife back. He says a great impetus has been given them by the separation. They were getting along well and their life was very happy.

French is well spoken of by people at Fall Brook, where he was employed on the Miller farm about a year ago.

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**BURNED TO DEATH**

Six Children Perished at a Fire

LOWELL, Aug. 21.—Six children are dead and two others are burned so severely that recovery is doubtful, at the H. W. Smith ranch, between Lowell and Andover, as the result of a fire that destroyed the home Wednesday night.

Four of the dead children were Schultz. The other two were children of W. W. Fox, a brother-in-law. The men were away harvesting and the women were attending a theatrical performance. The two eldest children, aged 12 and 10, were the first to be killed. They were in the room and were found to have been killed by the flames.

The cause of the fire is a mystery. It is believed that the fire started in the kitchen and spread to the other rooms. The fire was discovered by the neighbors and the fire department was called. The firemen fought the fire for several hours but were unable to save the children.

WHAT CIDER WILL DO. If you are interested in cider, and there are doubtless moments when you are, if you will go up to Frank Jewett's cider mill on Dutton street and get him started talking about the efficiency of his gas engine, he is likely to become so enthusiastic in regard to the merits of the engine, that he will ask you to try some of his number one cider. He did so with us and he also wrote the following:

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7 1/2 in. x 28 1/2 in. ....	\$1.20	7 1/2 in. x 46 in. ....	\$1.55
8 in. x 36 in. ....	\$1.25	8 1/2 in. x 47 1/2 in. ....	\$1.85
7 1/2 in. x 34 1/2 in. ....	\$1.30	12 in. x 48 in. ....	\$2.00

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**THE LEGISLATURE**

Blamed for Spread of Crime

HAVERHILL, Aug. 21.—City Marshal Mack announced last night that he would not issue any more permits for the indiscriminate carrying of revolvers. He claims that the law allows householders or business men to have weapons to protect their homes or business, but he will not permit anybody to carry them on the streets.

The ordinance last night appropriated \$250 to provide the members of the police force with regulation 38-caliber revolvers, and upon securing the weapons the marshal will have daily practice, as it has been found that many members of the police force are very poor shots.

Numerous applications for permission to carry revolvers were made to the marshal yesterday, following the assault on Mrs. Ryan of Norfolk street, where the desperado secured \$6 after assaulting the woman and ransacking the house. There was a big demand for revolvers yesterday and local dealers reported a sale of more than 300.

Mayor Wood in a statement issued last night, blamed the legislature for the wave of crime in this section of the state. He claims that the action of the legislature in granting policemen of this and other municipalities one day off in 39 impaired the several police forces. Haverhill policemen get 22 days off annually, and he says he cannot improve conditions on account of Haverhill's financial status.

Mayor Wood wants the legislature to pass a law to the effect that all purchasers of revolvers, pistols and guns must register and give the reason for their purchase.

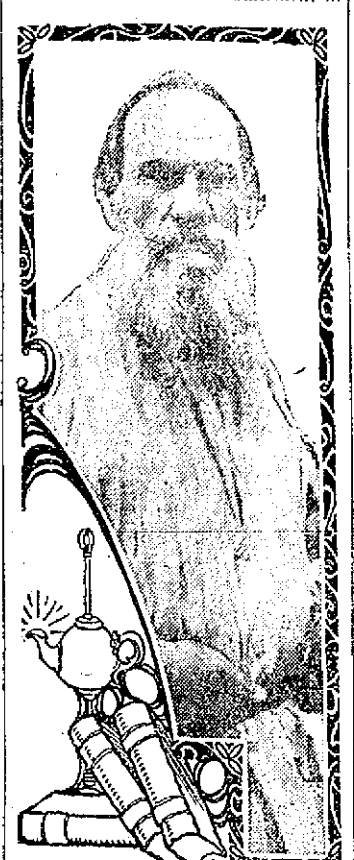
**STAR THEATRE**

Don Healey, the black-face comedian, is attracting a great deal of attention with his excellent singing and superior performance in the burlesque. His audience become enthusiastic and insistently call for encore after encore. Mr. Healey is a minor performer of the highest class and deserves a hearing from all variety theatregoers. Frank Mills is making a lasting impression with his singing of the illustrated song "Childhood's Dream." The latest and greatest hit is one of the prettiest it has the prettiest little song we have heard for many months and J. C. Bell is having great success singing it. The new program of moving pictures has won instant favor and come in for a huge share of applause. The theatre is more popular than ever with the ladies.

**COUNT TOLSTOI**

Now 80 Years Old Defies the Czar

PARIS, Aug. 21.—Count Tolstoi, the great Russian liberalist, will celebrate his eightieth birthday on Aug. 28. He recently issued a statement in



defiance of the policies of the emperor, he celebrated his birthday on August 28 and not his followers for their advocacy of his liberal theories, which are gaining such a firm foothold in Russia.

**BISHOP McQUAID**

Stricken Seriously Ill at Banquet

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 21.—At the close of the banquet with which the dedication of the new hall of theology at St. Bernard's seminary concluded a few minutes after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, Bishop Bernard J. McQuaid suddenly collapsed and it was feared that death was imminent. The exercises involved the celebration of the 10th anniversary of the bishop's episcopate and the sixtieth anniversary of his ordination to the priesthood.

As Bishop McQuaid, clad in the robes of his office, was wheeled into the dining room by Dr. L. F. Simpson, who has been attending him at the seminary, the clergy arose to greet the bishop. He spoke, except for a moment at the beginning of his address, in a voice of unexpected vigor, continuing for 17 minutes. Then he suddenly said:

"I would like to say more, but I feel that my strength is failing me." With this the bishop became deathly pale and leaned back in his chair. He became unconscious and the clergy, stunned by the shock, involuntarily knelt in prayer. Dr. Simpson administered two hypodermic injections and lowered the prelate's head. Conductor Bishop Thomas F. Hickey prepared to administer the last rites, but Bishop McQuaid regained consciousness in three or four minutes and slowly revived. Dr. Simpson said he was in no immediate danger of death.

**RESCUED A CHILD**

Son of A. K. Chadwick Shows Bravery

Oliver M. Chadwick, son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin K. Chadwick, rescued a child from drowning in the Thames river, in London, Eng., two weeks ago Sunday.

He was standing near London bridge when he noticed the child struggling in the water. Without waiting to remove any of his clothing he jumped into the water and saved the child.

**TWO ARRESTS**

MEN CHARGED WITH USING MAIL TO DEFRAUD

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Charged with using the mails in a scheme to defraud George M. Rogers and Eugene M. Richmond, doing business under the name of the Rogers-Silverware company, incorporated, were arrested yesterday by the United States authorities. The two defendants, it is claimed, also operated in Worcester as well as in Boston and it is claimed, that for some years fraud orders have been in effect in Philadelphia, Providence, New York, Boston and Chicago, involving the name of Rogers in connection with the operations like the one now before the postal authorities. It is charged that under the name of the Rogers-Silverware company, incorporated, the two defendants advertised single puzzles for the solving of which a prize, worth, apparently, \$25, would be given. Upon receiving the correct answer, the company, it is alleged, would send a letter asking a remittance of \$100 as payment of the expressage, and upon the remittance being paid, the puzzle was costing at whole sale price thirty five cents would be forwarded.

**KIDNAPPED BOY**

14 Year Old Boy Lay Bound All Night

ST. ALBANS, Vt., Aug. 21.—Wednesday night about 8:30 o'clock, according to his story, 14-year-old Aaron Britch was sitting on the front steps of the house where he lives with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Shugraw when a man came by and asked the boy to come out, as he wished to see him. When the lad obeyed he was seized and taken to a room hidden near by. The man told the boy that he had made an entry the man dove toward George Corner. Several times the boy requested that he be allowed to return home, but was refused.

At 10 o'clock the men took the boy out, tied him hand and foot and left him on the station platform. All night he lay there, not daring to make entry on account of the threats of the stranger. At daybreak he attracted the attention of R. A. Reason, farmer, near by, who untied him.

When the boy returned home he related his story, and the police were notified. They at first thought that the story was merely an excuse to account for his absence during the night, but Reason asserted that he found the boy tied and released him. Young Britch lives with B. H. Shugraw, who took him home several years ago. The boy's father is said to be living, but as Britch has not seen him for seven or eight years he could not say whether the man was his father or not. He was unable to give a good description of the man.

**WIFE LEFT HOME**

SAID TO HAVE GONE WITH BROTHER-IN-LAW

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Finding domestic life with her husband, William F. Swank, 99 1/2 Grove street, Roxbury, too tame, Alice Swank decamped with Walter Swank, her husband's brother. She left her little daughter at a neighbor's home.

The elopement of the young wife, who was formerly Alice Campbell of Worcester, was the climax of a long series of family infelicities. She used to urge her husband to move to Worcester, but lately she began to become reconciled with Roxbury.

Last Monday when Swank returned from work he found his little home denuded. Everything but the heavier pieces of furniture was taken away.

When he made inquiries he was astonished to learn that wife and brother had disappeared together. His little girl was found at the house of a neighbor, where the wife had left it. She had lifted it over the fence and ran away, paying no heed to the cries of the little girl.

Vowing vengeance on the brother who has wrecked his home, William is endeavoring to trace the missing pair.

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32-in. Sicilian Mohair, high finish. Reg. price 59c. Special price..... 49c yard	Bonnets, made of lawn trimmed with Val. lace and ribbon. Reg. price 30c. Special price..... 39c	One Lot worth \$1.39 for \$1.00 each
44-in. Shadow Check Velling, (French make). Reg. price \$1.00. Special price..... 85c yard	French Dresses, made of gingham and lawn. Reg. price \$1.25. Special price..... 79c	One Lot worth \$2.00 for \$1.49 each
42-in. Dotted Veiling (Priestley's). This is an ideal fabric for middle-aged folks. Reg. price \$1.25. Special price 89c yard		
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	Corset Covers, made of cambric with all-over H. S. front, lace and ribbon trimmed. Reg. price 30c. Special price..... 19c	10c Box Stationery, 24 sheets, 24 envelopes..... 5c box
	Drawers, made of good material with low neck and short sleeves, hamberg trimmed. Reg. price 59c. Special price..... 49c	15c Box Stationery, 3 sizes. 10c box
	Long Skirts, made of good cambric with deep ruffle of tucks and insertion with lace edge. Reg. price \$1.25. Special price 98c	25c Box Stationery, 5 different styles..... 19c box
		1 lb. of Mercury Writing Paper, worth 19c, for..... 12 1/2c lb.

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White Lawn Waists, made embroidered hamberg front, tucked back, 3/4 sleeves and tucked collar and cuffs, lace trimmed. Extra value for..... \$1.40	White Batiste Waists, made with fancy pointed lace yoke with medallion, trimmed back, 3-4 sleeves, lace collar and cuffs. Extra value..... \$2.98

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Men's Soisette Shirts in light and dark chambray colors. Silk sewed seams and button gussets. Extra value for..... \$1.00

Men's Suspenders. Heavy Police web with double back of two inch web and solid calf ends. Extra value for..... 25c

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Boys' Belts, red and black..... 10c

Women's White Wash Belts..... 10c

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Women's White Linen Belts with colored embroidery, also Colored Linen Belts with white embroidery. Regular 50c belts. Now..... 25c

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## JUDGE CROSBY RED CROSS TENT

Will Give Yeggs Heavy Sentence

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—"If we could get some of the robbers and highwaymen into this court and give them all 25-year sentences in state prison, the epidemic of crime would soon be stopped."

This statement was made yesterday afternoon by Judge Crosby of the superior criminal court just before imposing a reformatory sentence upon John E. Graham, who had been convicted of giving straw ball.

Aside from laying the yeggs, Judge Crosby also struck a blow at college graduates who become entangled in the meshes of the law. Upon this matter he said: "Graham is a Princeton graduate, and that is all the more reason why he should be punished for his training and education should have taught him better."

Not only Judge Crosby, but other judges have concluded to deal with criminals severely in the future and especially in assault cases. "This will be done," it is said, in order to stamp out crimes which have been prevalent for the past six weeks in Greater Boston.

In doing this the judges are following the example of Judge Thomas Russell, who presided in the criminal court in the late '80s. At that time there was an epidemic of crime in Boston and many holdups. In all of these cases Judge Russell imposed a 25-year sentence.

Before adopting this system Judge Russell issued an order to the police that if they would bring in the guilty men he would stamp out crime and drive every crook from the city.

## FOUND DEAD

TWO AGED MEN KILLED BY GAS.

WARREN, Aug. 21.—Two aged men, Cornelius Cronin and Daniel Haley, who had been associated since their childhood days in Ireland were found dead last night at the home of Cronin's daughter, Nellie and Mary, with whom the father lived. Death was caused by gas which escaped from a gas stove. Cronin was 81 years of age, and Haley, 80.

Did Good Work at Muster Yesterday

The doctors in the Red Cross tent were kept busy during the day administering first aid to the injured. Dr. Daniel A. O'Hearn had general charge and he was ably assisted by Dr. Patrick Sullivan, Dr. Frank O'Sullivan, Dr. James Leary and Dr. Stephen Johnson. There were two casualties from St. John's hospital in attendance. Twenty-two cases were treated during the day, a couple of the more serious ones being taken to St. John's hospital.

The following is a list of the accidents which were not published in yesterday's issue of The Sun:

George Stephenson, Gardner, veteran, lacerated finger of left hand, lost nail.

William Costell, 31 East street, Boston, first finger of right hand caught in the brake of a machine. The finger was amputated at the first joint.

John H. Cheever, Roxbury, veteran, exhaustion.

George Macy, Portland, Me., veteran, scalp wound.

John Cullenmore, 49 Jefferson street, Worcester, veteran, exhaustion.

William Mitchell, veteran, Woonsocket, R. I., exhaustion.

Thomas Cady, veteran, Waltham, fracture of the left ankle, sustained while working a brake; removed to St. John's hospital.

John Pitts, veteran, Jamaica Plain, lacerated wound on chin. Two stitches taken.

A. P. Bateman, Edgewood, R. I., veteran, contused wound on the ring finger of the right hand.

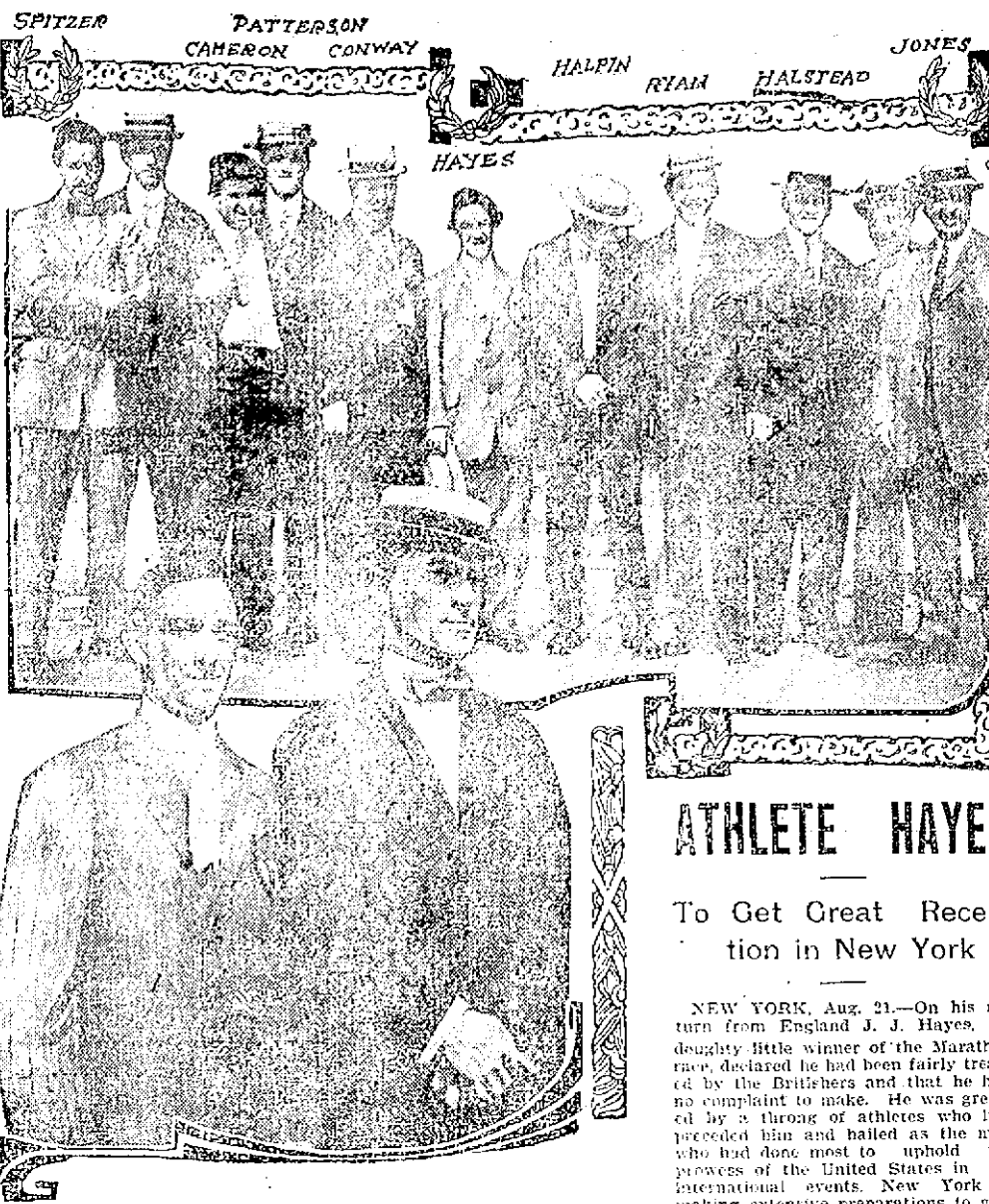
Stephen Morrell, 63 Faxon street, Newton, abdominal trouble.

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## FINED A CENT

BECAUSE HE SAT ON A STONE WALL.

BROCKTON, Aug. 21.—For sitting upon the granite wall surrounding the beautiful home of Mrs. Mary Cobb Howard, one of the richest women in this city, Henry W. French, a young shoemaker, today, in the police court, was fined one cent, the smallest amount ever imposed here.



## ATHLETE HAYES

To Get Great Reception in New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—On his return from England J. J. Hayes, the doughty little winner of the Marathon race, declared he had been fairly treated by the British and that he had no complaint to make. He was greeted by a throng of athletes who had preceded him and hailed as the man who had done most to uphold the prowess of the United States in the international events. New York is making extensive preparations to give the athletes a royal reception on Aug. 23. There will be a big street parade, speech making, and a banquet. President Roosevelt also has invited the boys to visit them at Oyster Bay. In these pictures Hayes is shown surrounded by the athletes and others who met him at the pier.

## BALL CHILDREN

KILLED BY THEIR MOTHER SAYS COURT.

BROCKTON, Aug. 21.—That Mrs. Mary E. Ball, now a patient at the Taunton insane asylum, killed her two children, Grace and Thomas Ball, whose bodies were found in the woods off Oak street, this city, May 20th, is the finding of Justice F. M. Bixby, who presided at the inquest held in Brockton several weeks ago.

The inquest report on one of the most baffling mysteries New-England ever faced was filed yesterday and will be presented to the grand jury at the next session at Plymouth.

"I find and report that Thomas J. and Mary Grace Ball came to their deaths by violence at the hands of Mary E. Ball, their mother, who she was insane," is the most significant clause in the report.

It reviews the case in detail.

## KILLED FATHER

RALEIGH, N. C., Aug. 21.—A special from Raleigh says:

"Logan Jones, inflamed by drink, declared he would wipe out his family, and when he attempted to make good, the threat, he was shot and killed by his 17-year-old son. He was also hit with an axe by another child. The boy was fired the shot was taken to jail."

## THREAT TO LYNCH

Lynn Mob Wanted to String Up a Negro

LYNN, Aug. 21.—A mob of 1500 people, with shouts of "Lynch him; lynch him," tried to take away Henry Tyler, a negro, aged 30 years, from a reserve police officer in an alleyway near the New England Telephone and Telegraph company's building here last night, and had severely punished the colored man when seven police officers came to the rescue and succeeded in getting the prisoner to the station house before he was more badly hurt. Tyler, who was but recently released from state prison, was detected last night by Reserve Officer W. A. Crawley. It is alleged, in the act of breaking into the second hand store and auction shop of George Laughton on Oxford street, Officer Crawley sprang at Tyler, who turned upon the policeman. It is charged, and struck him a heavy blow over the head with a cold chisel, with which the negro had been trying to effect an entrance to the building. Although dazed by the blow, Crawley attempted to grapple with the negro at the same time drawing his revolver. The weapon was discharged but the bullet missed its mark. Tyler then attempted to hit the officer another blow with the chisel, but Crawley warded it off and the negro broke away and ran at full speed down the street with Crawley in hot pursuit, discharging his revolver two or three times to attract attention.

As the mixup occurred within a few



HARRY TAYLOR, The Negro Whom a Lynn Mob Wanted to Lynch.

steps of a crowded section of the city, a large crowd joined the officer in pursuit of the negro. In desperation Tyler dodged down an alleyway near the New England Telephone and Telegraph company's building, where Crawley caught up with him. The two men fell to the ground, each fighting hard for the upper hand, and both uttering cries. The crowd, which by this time numbered 1500, thinking that the officer had been shot, attempted to get at the negro. Someone started the cry "Lynch him; lynch him," when another police officer and a citizen jumped to Crawley's side to protect the now thoroughly frightened negro. The mob, however, persisted in its efforts to take away the prisoner, when six additional policemen rushed upon the scene, and bowling their way through the mob to Crawley's side, surrounded Tyler and took him to the station house. There he was locked up on a charge of at-

tempt to break and enter and assault upon a police officer. Crawley's wounds were attended to at the hospital where he was taken immediately, and in a short while he was able to resume his duties.

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Men's Khaki Trousers	49c	15c Celluloid Collars, all sizes,	7c	Overalls and Coats, union made,	43c	Children's Knee Pants, all sizes	14c
\$2.00 Men's Trousers	99c	\$1.00 Korn Kolor Coat Shirts,	50c	50c Underwear,	37c	Children's Overalls, sizes to 14	17c
\$3.00 Men's Trousers	\$1.99	Box Reversible Collars,	15c	Black Satin Shirts	39c	Children's Suits, 3 to 8	95c
		15c Fancy Border Handkerchiefs	5c	35c Ribbed Underwear	19c		

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# ASKS A REHEARING

## Government Files Petition in Standard Oil Case

Claims That Court of Appeals Has Not Correctly Stated How Trial Judge Ruled — The Government Takes Issue With the Court on Several Points — Says Court of Appeals Handed Down An Erroneous Rule

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—A petition was filed by the government today for a rehearing by the United States court of appeals in the case of the government against the Standard Oil company of Indiana.

A synopsis of the petition is given below: The government presents its petition in accordance with the rule of the court.

The indictment in the case was for a violation of the Elkins act of February 18th, 1883, making it a crime to accept a concession whereby any property is transported in interstate commerce at less than the published and filed rate.

It was proved at the trial that the Chicago & Alton railway company transported to East St. Louis, Illinois and St. Louis, Missouri 142 carloads of oil.

In all the dealings between shipper and carrier each carload was treated as a distinct transaction and handled as a distinct piece of business.

The published and filed rates on this business were eighteen cents per one hundred pounds to East St. Louis and nineteen and a half cents to St. Louis. The Standard Oil company actually settled on the basis of six cents to East St. Louis and seven and a half cents to St. Louis.

These facts were admitted. The Standard Oil company intended to claim in defense that the Elkins act was unconstitutional, but that the tariff had not been posted in two public places at the stations, and interposed many technical defenses.

On but a single point involved in the trial up to the return of the verdict of guilty are the rulings of the trial judge criticized by the court of appeals. In all other particulars his rulings are sustained.

### THE JURY'S VERDICT.

This evidence was largely that of the traffic manager of the Standard Oil company, Bogardus, who swore to a conversation with Hollands, the rate clerk of the Alton, in which he said Hollands told him that the rate had been filed. The government met this testimony by a great array of circumstances which tended to disprove it, and the jury found in favor of the government.

The trial judge ruled that ignorance on the part of a shipper of what the lawful rate was could be interposed as a defense, but that it would not constitute a defense if it appeared that the ignorance was the result of neglect on the part of the shipper or of willful failure on the part of the shipper to resort to the sources of information which were available.

The government contends that this is the correct construction of the statute on this subject.

The court of appeals lays down the rule that it is necessary for the government to show beyond a reasonable doubt, as a part of its case that the shipper actually knew what the lawful published and filed rate was.

The government contends that this is an impossible rule; that it is contrary to the purpose of the Elkins act; that

it is contrary to the general rule applicable in criminal cases; that put into effect it would make of the Interstate Commerce act "a mere will-o'-the-wisp of legislation, a phantom statute, destitute of strength or substance."

The government contends in the petition that the court of appeals has misstated not only the record as to what evidence was admitted, but has also misstated the construction which the trial judge placed upon the statute, and that for this reason there should be a thorough reargument upon the only proposition as to which the ruling of the trial judge up to the verdict of guilty, is reversed.

### THE GOVERNMENT'S CLAIM.

The government contends that an examination of the record will show that the court did not rule out the testimony tending to show want of knowledge, but that on the contrary all proper evidence tending to show that the defendant was ignorant of the facts with reference to the legal rate was admitted for the consideration of the jury, and that there was ample evidence to show that the defendant did know what the legal rate was.

In other words, the government contends vigorously and with references to the record that the reversal of the case, so far as the ruling of the trial judge with reference to ignorance on the part of the shipper as a defense is concerned, is based upon a misstatement by the court of the record in the case as to the admission of the evidence and to a misunderstanding by the court of what the trial judge ruled with reference to the admission of evidence, and how he really charged the jury.

The government strenuously contends that the effect of the construction of the statute announced by the court of appeals is to nullify the interstate commerce act so far as shippers are concerned; to make its enforcement impossible; and to plunge the country again into the deplorable condition of railroad discriminations and favoritism which existed prior to its passage.

The government contends that the court of appeals has no right to place this construction upon the statute in the face of the fact that the very question involved in this case has been expressly left open by the supreme court in the Armour Packing company case, recently decided by that court. The precise question involved in this case was stated by the supreme court in that case. It was not decided by the supreme court, however, because it was not involved but was left open.

The government insists that before laying down this harsh rule and practically nullifying the law the court of appeals should recede in accordance with the statute this question to the supreme court for its decision; that no court should undertake practically to wipe the interstate commerce act from the statutes. The petition states "before the government is required to try this case under the rigid rule of construction laid down by this court, is it not manifestly fair and right in the interest not only of justice in this case, but in the interest of a final and definite construction of this important statute, that judgment be taken of the highest tribunal of the nation?"

### AN ERRONEOUS RULE.

The government contends that the court of appeals in its opinion, has laid down an erroneous rule for determining the burden of offenses.

The government contends that each shipment is the basis of a distinct offense; and that in this case each carload was a separate shipment.

The circuit court of appeals has held that there is but one offense for each shipment for freight.

The government cites against this the opinion of President Judge Grosscup in the case of United States v. Hanley, 11 Fed. Rep. 6265, in which that judge laid down an exactly contrary rule to the one which he laid down in the Standard Oil case.

The government contends that the rule laid down by the court of appeals is contrary to the principles of the Elkins act, and leaves it to the shipper and carrier to elect for how many offenses they will

be prosecuted and how much they shall be fined.

The government contends in the petition that the court of appeals has done a great injustice to trial Judge Landis in misstating what he did in connection with the imposition of the fine on the Standard Oil company.

The circuit court of appeals in its opinion charges that Judge Landis assumed to fine the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, and imposed the large fine for the reason that he was satisfied that the Standard Oil company of New Jersey was not a "virgin offender."

The government shows in its petition that Judge Landis never referred to the Standard Oil company of New Jersey in this connection and that the language used in connection with the Standard Oil company of Indiana, and that nowhere were the proceedings directed or pretended to be directed against the Standard Oil company of New Jersey.

TAKES ISSUE WITH COURT. The government takes issue with the court of appeals that Judge Landis' proceeding in this case "amounted to a strange doctrine in Anglo-Saxon jurisprudence," and says that the proceedings of Judge Landis are in accordance with the rule of procedure pointed out by Mr. Bishop in his work on criminal law as one of the elementary principles of that jurisprudence recognized from the earliest days.

The government takes issue with the circuit court of appeals as to its proposition that a defendant cannot be fined more than the value of the property which he possesses and states that this rule is an innovation in criminal law and if applied would destroy the enforcement of most statutes.

The government claims that the facts before the court of appeals justify the imposition of the penalty inflicted by the trial judge.

It appears from the record in the Circuit Court of Appeals that the profit of the business of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, the corporation that Judge Landis fined, for the years during which the violations of the law for which it was convicted were committed and including the year in which it was indicted amounted to \$22,633,208.80.

On this point the petition states: "We respectfully call the attention of the court to the statement of the Standard Oil company of Indiana on file in this case, referred to by the court in its opinion and treated as proper for consideration in determining whether or not the penalty was excessive."

That statement shows, with reference to the assets and liabilities and profits of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, the following:

STANDARD OIL CO. (Indiana).		
Year.	Gross Assets	Liabilities
1907	\$18,154,402.16	\$5,014,331.65
1908	16,007,082.21	2,766,635.69
1909	15,152,212.71	2,444,451.01
1910	12,734,673.91	3,303,620.64
1911	21,277,810.70	4,335,204.12
1912	20,857,094.64	2,692,497.32
1913	22,713,331.37	2,435,557.62
1914	23,602,639.26	3,173,152.75

The punishment thereon is no more severe than that which is inflicted upon a letter carrier who steals a letter and is sent to the penitentiary for three years, thereby depriving him of his earning capacity for that time. It is not nearly so severe as the minimum penalty of five years in the penitentiary imposed upon a banker who misapplies the funds of his bank.

The government claims that on account of the size of the fine alone, there is no necessity for a reversal of the case; that the Circuit Court of Appeals may, itself, name the fine which should be imposed and calls upon the court to do so in case it adheres to the view that Judge Landis abused his discretion in imposing so large a fine.

### THE CONCLUSION.

The petition concludes: "It is therefore respectfully submitted:

That the opinion of this court is based upon a misconception of the record with reference to the rulings of the trial judge as to the admission of evidence tending to show want of knowledge, and with reference to his construction of the statute on that subject, and the theory on which the case was tried; that the evidence of Bogardus which it is claimed showed want of knowledge was admitted; that it was overcome, however, by the facts and circumstances of the case, and that the evidence as an entirety was sufficient to show actual knowledge, or what in law was its equivalent;

That the interpretation of the statute by this court, imposing no duty on the shipper and permitting a defense of ignorance to be made without regard to the negligence of the shipper, is contrary to the language of the statute and to its purpose, and seriously impairs the efficiency of the act;

That the ruling stated in the opinion as to the basis for determining the number of offenses involves an erroneous construction of the statute and fails to take into consideration that the thing which is prohibited by the act is the transportation of property at the unlawful rate;

That the criticism of the trial judge for abuse of discretion rests upon a wrong assumption of what the trial judge actually did and assumes that he attempted to try and punish the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, when in fact, as appears from the record, the entire proceedings were directed against the defendant, the Standard Oil company of Indiana;

That the ruling stated in the opinion to the effect that a fine is excessive when it exceeds in amount the ability of the defendant to pay is an innovation in criminal law and if generally applied would prevent the practical enforcement of most criminal statutes;

That, in short, the opinion as it stands erroneously states material portions of the record; does injustice to the trial judge; leaves doubtful in a new trial the rule of law to be applied, both as to knowledge on the part of the shipper, and as to the number of offenses; appears to be in conflict with the language of the supreme court and with the previous language of the presiding judge of this court, and with the great weight of legal authority; and, if permitted to remain unmodified, will tend to encourage disobedience to law, to impede the enforcement of statutory statutes and largely to defeat their purpose.

For the reasons stated we respectfully request that a reargument of this case be granted."

The petition is signed: Charles J. Bonaparte,

Attorney General,

Frank B. Kellogg,

Special Assistant to the Attorney Gen.

Edwin J. Sims,

United States Attorney,

James H. Wilkerson,

Special Assistant U. S. Attorney.

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## \$5000 FUND

FOR THE AID OF DISABLED MINISTERS.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The will of Dr. Joachim Elmendorf of New York city, admitted to probate today, directs that at the death of his widow, \$5,000 shall be given to the Synod of the Reformed church of America, to create the Elmendorf fund, the income of which is to be annually given to the beneficiaries of the disabled ministers fund. The income from the estate is given to his widow during

her life time, and then the estate, which is valued at about \$75,000 is to be divided equally among the two daughters and one granddaughter of the testator, Mrs. Edward B. Judson of Syracuse, Mass., and Katherine Elmendorf Rodgers of New York city.

## IS CAPTURED

AIN-ED-DOWLEH TAKEN BY REVOLUTIONISTS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—A special dispatch received here from Tche-

ran says that Ain-Ed-Dowleh, who arrived outside Tabriz a couple of days ago at the head of 1500 government troops, has been captured by the revolutionists.

## WON AN AUTO

BY AGREEING TO TAKE IT AWAY.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 21.—Alfred Glard of 94 Adams street is the happy possessor of a touring car automobile, given away on Main street yesterday

afternoon, and he had it now at home. The car broke down on Main street, and as usual a crowd gathered. The owner of the car, a prominent physician, tried in vain to make the car go. Then he grew indignant and to the astonished crowd said he would give it away to anybody who would take it. Glard said he would and took it.

Mr. Sydney Martin of 67 Burd street with wife and family, arrived in Lowell yesterday after having spent the last six weeks in London, England.

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A few pairs of ox-blood, two-eyelet sailor ties. Regular price \$3.50. To close

\$2.50 Pr.

A few Roman pumps. Regular price \$4.00. To close,

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1 Pound Coffee }  
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Colored Sateen Specials

5000 yards Plain Colored Sateen, full 36 inches wide, colors blue, cream, white, grey and tan. Just the fabric for comforters and puffs, being right width and colorings. These goods are slightly imperfect, but the imperfections are so slight that they might be called perfect. Regular price for these goods 19c yard. Special to close

10c Yd.

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A few hundred yards in remnants of this fashionable rough Pongee, of the Rajah variety, have just been received by us from the mills. Several dress patterns in Copenhagen, blues and natural Pongee shades. Remember there are only a few of these, so the early shoppers will be the ones that will get the benefit of this big reduction. Regular price for this quality of silks \$1.00 yard. To close

59c Yd.

Silk Dept. Palmer St.

Clean-up Sale In Suit Dept.

White Linen Suits, were \$7.50, now..... \$2.98

White Muslin, Two-Piece Dresses, were \$15.00, now..... \$5.00

Mohair and Panama Dress Skirts, blue and black only, were \$5.00, now..... \$2.98

White Muslin, Two-Piece Dresses, were \$2.50, now..... 98c

White Muslin Kimonos, were \$1.25, now..... 69c

Children's White Lawn Dresses, sizes 6 to 14 years, were \$1.50 and \$1.75, now..... 49c

Fancy Lawn Kimonos and Dressing Sacques, were 98c, now..... 49c

Many other lots too small to mention, at very low prices for quick selling.

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MEN'S WEAR

Half Hose at 10c

60 dozen of these fine Cotton Hose, reinforced heel and toe, black and tan. Regular price 15c pair.

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BIG SHIRTS FOR BIG MEN

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These are made extra large in the body, sleeves and arm sizes, 15½ to 18½ collar, made of fine quality madras and percale. So if you have trouble in getting a shirt full enough, then try one of these. Regular prices for these large shirts, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Only \$1.00

BOYS' BATHING SUITS

At 50c a Suit

Boys' Bathing Suits, blue and black' shirts, with quarter length sleeves and athletic style trunks to match,

Only 50c

BATHING SUITS FOR MEN

At 69c and \$1

Men's Bathing Suits, navy and black, guaranteed fast colors, sizes 34 to 46, shirts made with quarter sleeves and athletic trunks to match,

Only 69c and \$1

WASHABLE NECKWEAR

At 10c

25 dozen Reversible Four-In-Hands, made of white madras and chevrons, self figures. To close

10c, 3 for 25c

NIGHT SHIRTS AT 69c

10 dozen Men's Night Shirts, odd lots and soiled garments, made to sell at 75c and \$1.50. To close

69c

UNDERWEAR AT 50c

10 dozen Shirts and Drawers, made of white gauze and French balbriggan, assorted styles and broken sizes. These garments sold for 75c and \$1.00 when season opened. To close

50c

UNION SUITS 69c, \$1

Only a few of these garments left. There is a big bargain here for you if we have your size. Regular price for these garments \$1.50 and \$2.00. To close

69c and \$1

WORSTED RIBBED UNDERWEAR AT 50c

10 dozen Men's underwear made of fine worsted, natural color. These are slightly imperfect, but you would never know it unless we told you. To close

50c

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2 new cases of White Bed Spreads

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\$1.00 value, only..... 60c

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Spreads.

\$2.00 and \$2.50 values, only..... \$1.40

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JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest net average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

LABOR SHOULD DEMAND INVESTIGATION.

The labor unions of New England should take up the question of who is responsible for bringing thousands of Italians to the Wood mill of Lawrence under guarantee of steady work and good pay. They should insist that the immigration department find out who is responsible for putting up great billboards in the cities of Italy, appealing to the people to leave their homes and go to Lawrence, Mass., to get rich by working in the Wood mill. Several thousands came, but they have been thrown out of work, and a large number, it is alleged, have received financial assistance in returning to their own country. It is the duty of the labor unions as the parties mainly affected to demand an investigation in order to find what company, what individual or what agency helped them to leave Lawrence. We are convinced that in this matter a crime has been committed against the people so deceived and against American labor. We believe, too, that an investigation of the right kind will bring to light who is to blame in the matter. It may be that the immigration department has been lax in the enforcement of the law in such matters, but if that department has reasons of its own for failing to act then appeal to a higher authority in order that the guilty parties may be exposed and punished, whether they turn out to be the management of the Wood mill of Lawrence or some conscienceless padrone who is taking advantage of the ignorance and credulity of the people for his own aggrandizement. When such bright prospects are held out to these people to induce them to leave their homes, is it any wonder they become desperate when they are left destitute in the land of the stranger? Is it any wonder that under such conditions they become handbills and pass from city to city like tigers at bay, ready to shoot down anybody who interferes with them. The situation is very grave at the present time, and there is slight prospect of an improvement. The republican party and the trusts for which it is sponsor are to blame primarily for the panic and all the evil consequences resulting therefrom. If we want to get rid of the bandits we must provide them a means of sustenance and invite them to come in and live at our expense rather than continue to forage at large with revolvers in hand in order to obtain enough to keep them alive. When the cold weather comes the men who are now living as bandits in the woods will have to come in or be frozen to death. During the hard times cities must be more liberal in aiding the poor or there will be deaths from starvation; there will be murders, suicides, burglaries, holdups and highway robberies.

THE MUSTER A GREAT BOOM FOR LOWELL.

The muster of the New England Veteran Firemen's League, held here yesterday, was beyond question the best ever held in any New England city. The success of the event was a great boom for the city of Lowell. The vast multitude of strangers who visited us yesterday must carry away the most favorable impression of our city, and one that will doubtless induce them to drop in again whenever they can. The parade was the largest ever seen here without any exception, and a jollier or more orderly lot of men it would be impossible to find. It would be ungenerous in any notice of the success of the great parade, not to ascribe it to its prime mover, its first cause, its promoter, its organizer and perfecter, Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan. He certainly deserves the gratitude of Lowell citizens for giving them a parade that must have cost him not less than \$10,000.

NO UNOFFICIAL GRAND STANDS WANTED.

It would be a very selfish undertaking for any land owner along the route of the auto race on Labor day to erect grand stands to be rented during the race. The Lowell Auto club depends mainly upon the revenue from the official grand stands to recoup them for the heavy expenses incurred in promoting the race and carrying out the arrangements in a creditable manner. The public will not favor any scheme of this kind, and no unofficial grand stands will be patronized.

THE WAVE OF CRIME.

An apparent subsidence in the wave of crimes of violence in this section has been noticeable for a few days past. Weight is thus lent to the theory that the rage of lawless passions is largely attributable to atmospheric conditions, and that when the temperature becomes unbearable men go mad. The disturbances accompanying the recent term of excessive heat have certainly decreased in number since the weather became endurable.—Boston Post.  
There is no reason to assume that the so-called "wave of crime" was due to the hot weather. It began with the curtailment in the factories, the first real outbreak being the shooting by bandits in Woburn. It is not likely to cease until the republican panic is lifted by the trusts. It is not unbridled passion that drives these men to shoot and kill; it is anger and the lack of work.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

TO ARM THE POLICE.  
Boston Herald: It is gratifying to see public opinion in Massachusetts coming to support of The Herald's contention that the police shall be armed with first-class weapons and trained to use them; and that possession of weapons in this state, by other than officers of the law, shall be hedged about with strict provisions, affecting dealers in weapons as well as those who purchase them. The city of Lowell has set about equipping its police with first-class weapons, equal to those which are likely to be used against officers by the lawless, and it will insist on practice in use of the weapons. The town of Wellesley has taken similar action. Boston still is satisfied with a state of relative inefficiency and its superior police officials discount the clamor which shows how crime abounds. Chicago is busy enforcing a new ordinance compelling registration of all weapons, antique as well as modern, and is insisting on strict licensing of persons owning or carrying them. Chief Shippy says that this policy has reduced the practice 50 per cent.

PHENOMENA OF HEREDITY.

Philadelphia Telegraph: It is one of the phenomena of heredity that a boy wants to be what his father was. If a shoemaker then a shoemaker, if an iron worker then an iron worker, if an artisan of any line then an artisan in that line, and the father and mother who have come to have the smell of leather, or the grime of the smithy, the oil waste of the machine, or the sweat of down-right hard work, enable or coerce that boy into something that is grotesquely dull or respectably stupid, and fill the germ that would have produced the manufacturer, the mechanical engineer or the capitalist.

SHELDON IS DISAPPOINTED.

Boston Traveler: George R. Sheldon, treasurer of the republican national committee, has lost the enthusiasm with which he started to collect money without appealing to corporations, and now says that he regards that portion of the law which forbids contributions to party funds by corporations as "foolish," and that corporations should be allowed to help the election of any candidate whom they think will be instrumental in conserving their interests. In view of Mr. Taft's

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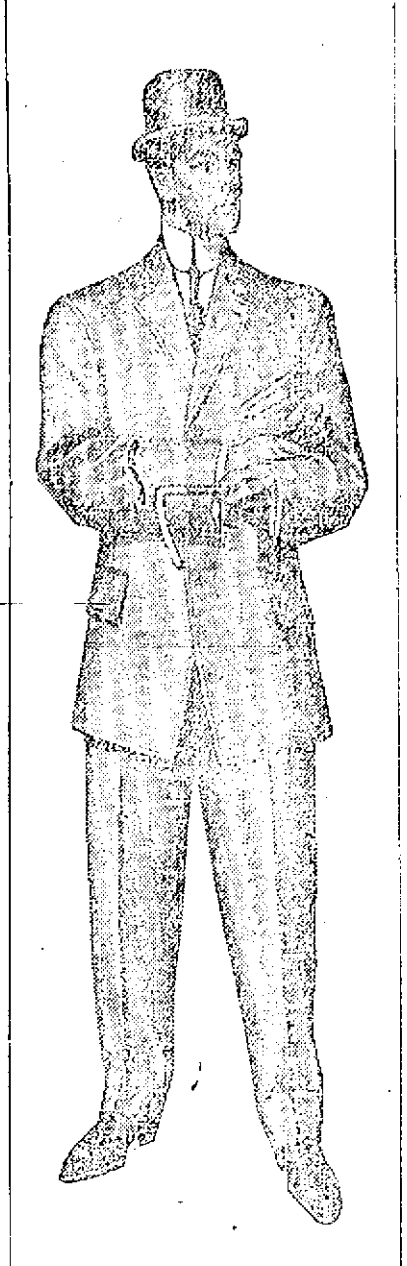
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Including Remainders of Rogers Peet's, now  
All in the sale are this season's finest fancy worsteds, blue serges and black and blue unfinished worsteds—and with these a group of high priced winter suits. No suit ever sold below \$15—most of them were \$20—a fair share were \$25, all now **\$12.50**  
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We never put in stock suits to sell below \$10. We have brought together what we had of men's suits that sold for \$10 and \$12, some even more expensive. Fancy worsteds, AMERICAN WOOLEN CO.'S Blue Serges and All Wool Black Thibets. Every coat made with hand-felled collar. These \$10 and \$12 suits, all now **\$7.75**  
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Smartest cut. Every suit this season's and as good today as when these sold for \$10 and \$12. Sizes 32 to 36 breast measure. This sale affords a splendid chance to fit out the young man or large boy for school—and save dollars on a good suit.



Final Mark Down on Low Shoes

We revise prices today for the last time.  
250 pairs of low shoes—smart styles—gun metal, velour calf, Russia calf, tan and patent colt, in tie or button oxfords, sold for \$4.00 and \$3.50, now to close **\$2.50**  
**Smart Styles of Low Shoes \$1.95**  
All of the small lots of gun metal, patent colt and tan shoes, that sold for \$2.50 and \$3, now in one group for **\$1.95**

JEWELS STOLEN

They Were Valued at \$50,000  
NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—From a treasure room in the country mansion of Commodore Frederick G. Bourne at Oakdale, L. I., the location of which has been a family secret since the mansion was erected, jewels valued at more than \$50,000 have been stolen. The jewels were those worn by Commodore Bourne's three daughters, at the horse show, the opera and other functions famous for the display of gems worn by society leaders. Although the robbery took place nearly two months ago, it was not until today that the facts became known. Every effort has been made to recover the diamonds through the agency of private detectives without appealing to the police. The scene of the robbery is in the heart of the millionaire colony of Long Island. The secret of the treasure room was sedulously guarded by the family for many years. Not even personal friends who believed they had inspected every apartment in Indian Neck hall as the mansion is known, were aware that the room existed. Commodore Bourne and his family left Indian Neck hall two months ago for Barb Island on the St. Lawrence river while extensive alterations were being made on the mansion. It is said the plans called for an expenditure of nearly \$50,000, which made it necessary to insure the secret of the treasure room to one or two expert mechanics. Following the departure of the family 100 men were engaged on the repairs. It is not definitely known when the treasure room was invaded, but a member of the family discovered the robbery and reported immediately to Commodore Bourne. He insisted that absolute secrecy be preserved, and engaged private detectives. Disguised as artisans, they joined in the activities of repairs on the mansion and thus became acquainted with all of the workmen. They accepted the theory that some of the men held the key to the mystery of the robbery. It was said last night that the detectives have centered their investigation on two men, and are seeking to learn if they are the ones to whom the secret of the treasure room was entrusted. No trace of the stolen jewels has thus far been found. They belonged to the Misses Marion, Maryjane and Florence Bourne. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Howes of Wellesley street are staying at the Taylor cottage, Salisbury beach, and have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith, Rev. Geo. H. Adams, Mrs. Edith M. O'Connell and Miss Susan L. Smith.

RACE RIOTING

Broke Out in Chicago Yesterday  
CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—In a fight yesterday between white and black dock laborers, employed on the Western transit company's wharves, growing out of antagonism which developed since the Springfield riot, five men were injured and the police restored order only after a free use of clubs and by threats to shoot. Some of the whites declared they would not go back to work today unless the negroes quit. This the latter refused to do, and a fight ensued in which Hugh Brady, white, was slain, shot by a negro. The fighting then became general. Clubs and clubs were used freely. The trouble attracted the attention of the white and negro laborers employed by the Lehigh valley transportation company, and they ran to the scene and took sides. Red calls were sent in and policemen were rushed to the docks. They charged the rioters with drawn clubs and succeeded in arresting Hawkins, the negro who is alleged to have slain Brady. Fearing that an attempt would be made to take the colored prisoner from them, the policemen drew revolvers, and threatened to shoot the first man who made an advance. This had the desired effect and further trouble was avoided. If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

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## SPEECH ON TARIFF

### Bryan to Open His Campaign in Ohio Today

DES MOINES, Ia., Aug. 21.—Wm. J. Bryan reached Des Moines at 9.30 a. m., two hours behind scheduled time. He was met at the station by a large crowd. State Chairman Price and other democratic leaders took him immediately to the Savery hotel. A crowd of democrats was on hand and Mr. Bryan was forced to hold an impromptu reception in the lobby.

There was some good natured joking over the fact that Mr. Bryan had slept two hours on a hard seat in the Lincoln railroad station while waiting for the belated train that brought him to Des Moines.

Mr. Bryan will meet hundreds of persons at the Savery hotel this afternoon in a public reception. Reduced rates for the Iowa state fair which opened yesterday proved an added inducement and great crowds from out of town are expected to attend the two meetings to be held this evening.

This afternoon there will be a council of Iowa democratic leaders which Mr. Bryan will attend. They will then plan the campaign in this state.

This evening Mr. Bryan enters actually into the campaign with his speech on the tariff. The principal meeting will be held in the baseball park where 15,000 persons can be accommodated. An overflow meeting will be held in the Auditorium.

### MAJOR STOTT CRITICALLY ILL

Word has been received in this city that Major Charles A. Stott is critically ill at his summer home at Little Boars Head.

## BOARD OF HEALTH

### Took No Action on Petition for Slaughter House

The board of health was to have met yesterday afternoon but fearing that so important an event might interfere with the firemen's muster the board postponed its meeting until this forenoon, and it wasn't held behind closed doors either.

The first up was a remonstrance against the location of a stable in Wedge street. John J. Walsh had in mind to relocate a stable in that street bringing it up flush or perhaps a little better with the sidewalk. Eugene Russell appeared as a remonstrant and he represented several others.

He told the board that his objections were not based on spite or ill feeling of any sort but simply from the sanitary standpoint. Mr. Russell said Mr. Walsh had done a great deal of work for him and he would not interfere with anything he had done or was about to do except that what he proposed doing would not only depreciate the value of land in the vicinity in question but that it would be an effluvia and a menace to public health.

Mr. Russell's contention was that the barn should not be nearer than 15 feet to the sidewalk and Chairman Doherty seemed to entertain about the same opinion.

Mr. Walsh, the petitioner, was present. He did not have very much to say except that he would not do anything contrary to law; if the law said fifteen feet he would make it fifteen feet.

After locating the premises on the atlas the two members present, Messrs. Doherty and Bean, on motion of the latter, voted to let the matter go over to the next meeting and the board in the meantime will investigate.

Kenneth B. McKinnon had planned for a stable in Morton street and there were remonstrants to the stable. The remonstrants, however, did not appear and action in the matter was postponed one week.

Next up was Patrick H. McCarthy, who petitioned for a permit to conduct a melting and rendering establishment in Westford street near the city line. The board had viewed the premises and the chairman opened fire by telling Mr. McCarthy that he did not favor such a place. Mr. Doherty referred to a visit he had made to the place, recently, and he and Mr. Bean voiced the opinion that the smell was not as sweet as the aroma of the flowers in May. In fact Mr. Bean said it struck

## SKULL FRACTURED

### Foul Play Suspected in the John J. Connors' Case

John J. Connors was found late last night in an unconscious condition in an alleyway between his house, 15 Watson street, and the next house. The ambulance was summoned and the man was taken to St. John's hospital, where it was found that he was suffering from a fractured skull.

It was at first thought that he might have fallen down stairs, but the finding of a piece of stove lining covered with blood would seem indicate that there might have been foul play. The man is in a very serious condition at St. John's hospital.

## HELD IN \$2900

### George Alicks is Charged With Manslaughter

George Alicks was arraigned before Judge John J. Pickman in police court this morning on two complaints, one charging him with manslaughter, having caused the death of John Parakevasos, with a knife. Through his counsel, Daniel J. Donahue, he pleaded not guilty. He was held under \$2900 bail for the grand jury, \$2400 on the manslaughter and \$500 on the assault.

This is the case that grew out of the stabbing affray in Fenwick street on the night of the 13th of August which afterwards resulted in the death of Parakevasos. George Banacos who is also wanted in connection with the stabbing is still at large.

## CHOSEN AFTER 332 BALLOTS

OSWEGO, N. Y., Aug. 21.—After an eight days' session in which 332 ballots were taken, Charles L. Knapp was today renominated for congress by the 28th district republican convention. Isaac L. Hunt withdrew from the race, which gave Knapp 26 and Morrisk Stowell 13.

## RAISING FUNDS JUDGE PARKER

### Treas. Haskell Takes Addressed a Big Bryan Meeting

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—Gov. Charles N. Haskell of Oklahoma, treasurer of the democratic national committee, arrived at democratic headquarters and began at once his efforts to secure campaign funds. He said money was coming in fair amounts and that there would be enough to finance a good campaign.

Gov. John A. Johnson of Minnesota who called at democratic national headquarters today informed Chairman Mack that as he had been renominated he would have to devote most of his time during the campaign to work in his state. He said that after conferring with his state associates he would inform Mr. Mack to what extent he will be able to aid in the general campaign. Gov. Johnson has just completed a series of Chautauqua lectures in Kansas, Missouri, Indiana and Illinois. He said the signs for democratic success were rosier.

Other callers were Senator Culberson of Texas, chairman of the advisory committee; Gov. Malcolm Patterson of Tennessee; and W. G. Conrad of Montana. Gov. Patterson characterized talk of any southern state swinging into the republican column as ridiculous.

## WILL COST \$800

### O. F. Prentiss to Have New Workshop

O. F. Prentiss has been granted a permit to build a workshop in West Thorndike street. The estimated cost is \$800. The permits to make alterations issued since the last were published include one to Esrael Greenberg who will make changes to the extent of \$129 in the building 7 and 9, rear 110-112 Lewis street.

#### PERSONALS

Miss Cassie Charlton of Fayette street is spending her vacation at Old Orchard, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Egan are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Rosella, born the 18th inst.

Miss Bertha Wilson of Seventh avenue is at Bear Island, N. H.

John J. Flaherty, clerk of the police board, will spend the next three weeks at Sandwich, Mass.

Mrs. John J. Foye of Burlington avenue has gone to Nova Scotia for the remainder of the summer.

Misses Bella and Jennie Johnston of 23 Fifth street have returned from their vacation spent at Marlboro.

#### BOSTON MARKET.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—The Boston market was generally quiet at the opening today. The tone was slightly heavier in cop-

## JOHN J. MURPHY

### Popular P. O. Clerk Passed Away

The many friends of John J. Murphy, a popular clerk at the post office, will be pained to learn of his death which occurred this morning at his home, 137 Cross street. The deceased was born in Lowell and graduated from St. Patrick's Academy. He then studied chemistry at the Lowell High school and also took up pharmacy. At the age of 15 he re-



THE LATE JOHN J. MURPHY

ceived a certificate as a registered pharmacist, being one of the youngest men ever registered as a pharmacist. He engaged in pharmacy for over two years but disliking the confinement of such an occupation passed with high rank a federal civil service examination and was appointed a clerk at the post office, a position that he held with much credit up to his death. While he had been illing for many months he worked up to last Thursday. He was a member of Court Merrimack, P. O. A., and Passaconaway Tribe, Red Men. He is survived by a wife, Mary Catherine, a brother, Patrick and an aunt, Miss Ellen Farrell. Funeral notice later.

#### FUNERALS

GRADY.—The funeral of the late Miss Pauline R. Grady took place this morning from her home, 33 Lundberg street, at 8.30 o'clock, and was largely attended by relatives and friends of the deceased. The funeral cortege proceeded to the church of the Sacred Heart in Moore street where a high mass was celebrated by Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O. M. I. The choir rendered the Gregorian mass. During the service appropriate solos were rendered. The benediction was given by Rev. Fr. Fletcher, O. M. I. The funeral was under the direction of funeral director J. P. Rogers.

There was a profusion of beautiful and appropriate floral offerings in evidence, the following being the most prominent: "Pillow" bearing the inscription "Our Pauline" from the family; cross and star on base, a friend; spray of white roses, Mrs. M. Crumlin; bouquet of mixed flowers, Grace Murphy; standing casket and star on mound, surrounded by a white dove, a friend; spray of Mr. and Mrs. Gustaf Anderson; basket of roses and pink, "Pauline"; from grandma; basket of roses, pink and aster, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clark; basket of mixed flowers, Mr. and Mrs. M. Davis and family; star of mixed flowers, Miss O'Brien, her teacher; star on mound of roses and pinks, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis McLaughlin; wreath of mixed flowers, "Asleep," Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Willet; wreath of mixed flowers, "Pauline," employees of Bolt shop; spray of gladioli, Ruth Phil, her chum; spray of asters, Verena Corrigan, her playmate; sprays of aster, Fred and Annie Aham, Lydia and Muriel Martyn; her schoolmates; Ernest and Arthur Hodgson, Mrs. John Kelly, Catherine and Esther Dunlay; Mrs. Mary Foley; spray of mixed flowers, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Duckley; spray of mixed flowers, Mr. Peter Donahue and family; pillow of roses, pinks and lilies of the valley, "At Rest," Dr. Charles E. Donlan and William Reagan; bank of asters, Liquor Inspectors Dwyer, McCleughry and Atkinson; bouquet of mixed flowers, Mrs. William Sawyer; bouquet of asters, Mrs. Mason and family; bouquet of eleven asters, Alice McKee, playmate.

Deceased was the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William S. Grady, the former the well known liquor inspector. She was a most lovable little girl and among her playmates and school companions was a special favorite. She became ill Monday and late in the afternoon it was found necessary to remove her to the hospital after the case had been diagnosed as appendicitis. She was operated upon but failed to rally and passed away at midnight. Her parents have the sympathy of their wide circle of friends in their bereavement. A brother of the little girl was one of the victims of the South Lowell disaster, so that the family is having its share of sorrow and grief.

DECEASED.—The funeral of the late Mrs. Elsie C. LaPorte, the well known broker, and Miss Elsie McDermott were united in marriage on Thursday, Aug. 20th, at 2 o'clock and immediately left on their honeymoon which will include New York and Atlantic City. On their return to Lowell they will reside at 77 Merrimack street.

QUINN.—FOX.—Isaac J. Quinn of the firm of Borstein & Quinn of this city and Miss Rebecca Fox of Malden were united in marriage today at two p. m. at the Browne building in Malden. There were many Lowell people present. Mr. Quinn is well known in this city and was formerly president of the Lowell Entertaining circle. Mr. and Mrs. Quinn were the recipients of many beautiful and appropriate presents. They left for Nova Scotia this afternoon and upon their return will reside in Inland street, this city.

## CONSUL GENERAL

### HAS SURRENDERED EDITOR TO KOREAN AUTHORITIES

SEOUL, Aug. 21.—The British consul general today unconditionally surrendered to the Korean authorities the editor of the Verrevald edition of the Daily News which was seized from the post on August 1 and sought refuge in the home of H. F. Welch, the English proprietor of the paper.

## EXTRA

## PAUL T. WISE

### Graduate of Textile School Gets Good Job

Paul T. Wise, a graduate of the Lowell Textile school, has been made agent of the Bigelow Carpet company's mills at Clinton. Mr. Wise graduated from the 1901 day class, and his first mill engagement was with the Washington mills of Lawrence. For five years or more he filled the position of superintendent for the George C. Moore mills at Brookside and lived there. He was also engaged in the textile business in Philadelphia and Lymanville, R. I.

## BRIDE OF WEEK A SUICIDE

HERINGSFORD, Prussia, Aug. 21.—The bride of a week of Prof. Rudolph Spitzer of Sternberg today threw herself from the top of the Bismarck tower here, falling 1200 feet to the bottom of the cliffs upon which the tower is built. The couple came here on their honeymoon. The woman left a note addressed to her husband asking his forgiveness and requesting that he marry another woman with whom he could be more happy. Prior to their marriage the pair had been engaged for ten years.

## CHARGED WITH STEALING \$2000

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—James Castelluccio of this city was brought into police headquarters and charged with knocking down Frank Spidaro in his fruit store, August 6th, and with the aid of a companion taking \$2000 in bills and other valuables from the fruit vender. He will be arraigned tomorrow.

## JOHN J. CURTIN DUTCH MAIL LINE

### Well Known Young Man Died Today

The many friends of John J. Curtin will be pained to hear of his death which occurred last evening at his late home, 125 Chapel street, age 38 years. He was born in Lowell and was for many years a foreman on the sewer department. Mr. Curtin was a man of real friendships. He made friends naturally, acquaintances becoming friends, and then the closest of friends with him, his always genial disposition and generous attitude to all with whom he was acquainted strengthening the relations which were formed as the natural result of his ability to make others like him. Besides his father and mother he is survived by his wife Emma, one sister, Miss Mary Curtin and two brothers, William F. Curtin, Esq., the well known lawyer of this city and James Curtin of New York city. He was a member of the Fraternal Order of Eagles, Lowell No. 123, and a member of the dogme staff since its organization. Funeral notice later.

## FREIGHT TRAIN MAN REARRESTED

### Had Narrow Escape From Disaster

WINSTED, Conn., Aug. 21.—Central New England freight train No. 34 from Winsted for Hartford, narrowly escaped serious disaster early today at the Farmington river bridge, Tarrifville. Just after leaving the bridge a journal of a loaded coal car broke loose down the car and tearing the trucks for some distance. Had the accident happened a little earlier, the train would undoubtedly have been plunged from the bridge to the river, 35 feet below. No one was injured.

## WANTS \$25,000

### Umpire Sullivan Sues Manager Stilings

ROCHESTER, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Eastern League Umpire Sullivan of Rochester has filed an action against George T. Stilings, manager of the New Jersey baseball club for \$25,000 for bodily injuries alleged to have been inflicted upon him by Stilings at the Newark grounds on April 21. After the game he followed Sullivan to a parlor in the grounds, and there, it is alleged, assaulted him with a pool cue, breaking his right wrist and arm and inflicting severe bruises.

## LARGE NUMBER

WERE ADMITTED TO THE BAR TODAY.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Just 34 young men and young women were before Judge Arthur P. Rugg of Worcester in the supreme court room here today and were admitted to the bar of Massachusetts. This is an unusually large number.

A son was born today to Mr. and Mrs. Daniel E. McGuire of East Merrimack street.

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#### COTTON FUTURES.

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—Cotton futures opened easy. Aug. 9.55; Sept. 8.55 asked; Oct. 8.55; Nov. —; Dec. 8.54; Jan. 8.53; Feb. —; March 8.55; April —; May 8.53 bid.



# 6 O'CLOCK AN ARMED POSSE Searching for Men Who Shot at Real Estate Man

WESTWOOD, Aug. 21.—Albert Dean, a prominent real estate owner of this town, aroused his neighbors and other persons in the vicinity about six a. m. today with the report that he had been shot at by two men, who he believed to be discharged employees, about an hour earlier. A large force armed with revolvers and shot guns, was at once organized, and search of the nearby woods made, but up to 10 a. m., no trace of any suspicious characters had been discovered.

Mr. Dean is engaged in installing a water supply system by means of driven wells and lines of pipes to his own house and those of his neighbors. Among the men employed were two Italians but as both were not satisfactory he discharged them last Saturday. On leaving both men, Mr. Dean declared, acted in a threatening manner, and vowed vengeance.

## PURCHASE OF PARK APPROVED

NEWTON, Mass.—The Auburndale Improvement association, after a year's work, have succeeded in raising sufficient funds for purchasing the Nye estate in Auburndale for a public park. The city of Newton will contribute \$2400; Mrs. Nye has left \$2000; and the balance was raised by general subscription. The land is in the vicinity of the Boston and Albany railroad station.

# MILITARY RULE

## Came to An End in Springfield, Illinois, Today

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 21.—Military rule ceased in Springfield today, the military force being reduced to one regiment and the task of preserving order being turned over to the civil authorities. The first cavalry broke camp at daylight, and the Seventh infantry patrols were withdrawn from the streets. Sheriff Werner had an increased force of deputies on duty and city police also was reinforced by a few special policemen. Except for the closed saloons and the ruined homes and business houses in some of the streets there was nothing to indicate that a week ago the city had been in the hands of an uncontrolled mob.

The early morning hours were practically without incident. One case of shooting was reported from the northeast section of the city, a sentry asserting that someone had discharged a double-barreled shot gun in his direction. The "Shafter cavalry" was sent from the jail headquarters but no trace of marauders was found. The promiscuous shooting had practically ceased since the troops began to depart, the absence of the numerous patrols and sentries having seemingly eliminated the incentive to cause excitement by the firing of guns and revolvers.

Rolla Keys, the boy witness against the alleged assassin of Mrs. Mabel Hallam, who was shot accidentally by a companion yesterday in a satisfactory condition according to early reports from the hospital today.

No announcement has yet been made as to when the Seventh infantry will be ordered home.

Its departure will depend upon the ability of the police and sheriff's forces to prevent further trouble. The grand jury resumed its investigations today. It is understood that further charges against Abraham Raynor, who was made the subject of six indictments were being considered. Raynor once again was formally accused of murder, malicious mischief and riot. The indictments except one charging murder, are all based upon his alleged actions while the mob was destroying Loper's restaurant Friday last. The murder charge alleges that he took part in the lynching of William Donigan on the succeeding night.

The authorities claim to have evidence that he was also a member in the ranks upon the "Black belt."

Kate Howard who was indicted for malicious mischief and riot in four forms was arrested on a bench warrant last night. Her bail has been fixed at \$10,000.

Loper was a witness before the coroner's jury last night at the inquest into the death of Louis Johnson who was found dead in the basement of the restaurant. It developed that no autopsy had been held on the body and that of the physicians who had viewed it would venture a positive opinion as to the cause of death. The possibility that the boy was killed by falling into the basement and breaking his neck may cause an exhumation of the corpse.

TEN INDICTMENTS  
AGAINST TWO ALLEGED MOB LEADERS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 21.—Ten indictments against two of the alleged

mob leaders were returned yesterday by a special grand jury. Six are against Abraham Raynor and four are against Kate Howard. Raynor is charged with murder, four cases of malicious mischief and one of riot. The charges against Mrs. Howard are for malicious mischief and are identical with those against Raynor on these counts.

The murder charge against Raynor is based on his alleged participation in the lynching of William Donigan, a negro, 56 years old. Considerable evidence upon which this was voted, was procured by a military court of inquiry which yesterday turned over to the state's attorney the result of its investigations.

"We procured enough evidence to indict forty or fifty participants in last week's rioting," said Col. Chipperfield last night.

"We have a complete confession from Raynor and we have also discovered convincing evidence of arson on the part of a former police officer of Springfield."

There was some excitement last night over a report that Rolla Keys, 17 years old, who testified before the special grand jury which indicted George Richardson for an alleged assault on Miss Mabel Hallam, had been shot by friends of the accused negro. It was learned, however, that the shooting was accidental, the bullet having come from a revolver belonging to a companion of Keys. The boy may not recover.

Because of the excitement caused by the first reports of the accidents, extra precautions were taken by Colonel Moriarty and Foreman, in command of the two military sections of the city, to prevent the gathering of crowds. The members of the patrols were also instructed to spread the true version of the accident and to arrest any person counseling violence to negroes.

The occurrence caused fresh fears in the "Black belt" and the arsenal last night again was crowded with refugees and there was also a large number of negroes who slept under the protection of a guard from the 7th regiment at Camp Lincoln.

Tyler has a previous police record. In 1890, with another man, he was arrested, charged with an attempt to break into a local liquor saloon and was taken to the Newbury jail in await the action of the grand jury. Tyler and his companion attempted to escape in which effort he assaulted Officer Ayer's son, inflicting severe injuries upon him. He was incarcerated and for his escapade was sent to state prison.

DEATHS

LANE—The many relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. James Lane will be pained to learn of the death of their beloved son, Thomas Patrick, who died this morning at the home of his parents, 61 St. James street, aged 2 years 1 month.

NICHOLS—Elijah M. Nichols died Wednesday night at his late home, 115 Suffolk street, aged 56 years. He is survived by a wife and three children.

PERRY—James Perry, aged seven months, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, Albert and Georgiana Perry, of 2, rear 451 Gorton street.

# FIFTY YEARS AGO

## Lincoln and Douglass Had Their Historic Debate

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—The semi-centennial of the great debate between Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. Douglass was celebrated at Ottawa, Ill., today, on the spot where the "great emancipator" and the "little giant" stood during their argument 50 years ago. A monument marking the spot in Washington park was unveiled by Illinois chapter, Daughters of the Revolution.

A 24-ton boulder has been brought from the farm of Moab Trumbo and emplaced on a concrete base in the park. On the face of the boulder a tablet bears the following inscription:

"This boulder marks the site of the first Lincoln and Douglass debate, held August 21, 1858. Erected by the Illinois chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, Ottawa, Ill., Aug. 21, 1908."

The celebration was directed by the LaSalle county Historical association. The unveiling ceremonies were arranged under the auspices of the Daughters of the Revolution who gathered the funds for the installation of the monument.

# TRIUMPHAL ENTRY

## Australia's Public Welcome to Men of American Fleet

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 21.—Sydney was aglow with life and color yesterday, and surging thousands filled the streets as never before, for this was the day set for the official landing and for Australia to welcome publicly the bone and sinew of the visiting fleet, officers and men. No more triumphal entry of gallant vessels into port was ever witnessed than that of Wednesday when the warships pushed through the haze of the sea, and steamed majestically past the headlands, crowned with a cheering multitude. Today Australians had an opportunity to see the men who brought the ships in safety thus far on their voyage around the world.

From Farm Cove, where the landing occurred, throughout the lengthy line of march, the crowds gave enthusiastic evidence of a hearty welcome. Large bodies of men from all the ships were brought ashore in the morning to be launched. They numbered close to 2000. In sections they marched to the outer domain, which adjoins the botanical gardens and formed up on allotted spaces fronting the reception pavilion. Then came the admirals and their staffs, who landed ashore on the east side of the cove, where a guard of honor from the British naval force was drawn up. They were met by the prime minister, Alfred Deakin, and the other ministers of the commonwealth, the premier of New South Wales and his ministers, the lord mayor of Sydney and members of the corporation.

Rear Admiral Sperry, commander of the fleet, inspected the naval guard and then with the others was driven to the reception pavilion in the domain, where he was greeted by Lord Northcote, governor general of Australia, Sir Harry Watson, the governor of New South Wales, and the military and naval heads of the colony.

The scene was a brilliant and picturesque one. The grand pavilion was surmounted by a great golden eagle, glittering in the sunlight, and the curved balustrades were inscribed with the names of the American states. The stands surrounding the pavilion seemed almost buried with flags, bunting and evergreens. These were occupied by the federal and state ministers, the members of the various branches of the legislature, and government officials, many of whom were accompanied by ladies, whose gay costumes furnished vivid patches of color. Beyond the enclosure, masses of spectators grouped beneath widespread trees, and glimpses could be had of the harbor in the distance, with the battlements of the forts and the blue of the water and sky. The brilliant uniforms of the guard of honor from the Royal Australian artillery contrasted strongly with the plain colors worn by the Americans.

Lord Northcote extended the heartiest of welcomes to Admiral Sperry, his officers and men, and congratulated them warmly on the success of the voyage.

After greetings had been exchanged a procession was formed, the lord mayor and officials and the American generals with their staffs occupying carriages. Twenty-five hundred men from the fleet took part in the procession. They carried arms but no ammunition, in accordance with an arrangement which was made the night before.

A brief occurred in the original arrangements, when, soon after the arrival of the Americans at this port, it was learned by Admiral Sperry that owing to the imperfect regulations, the landing of armed men in Australia would be barred. Admiral Sperry immediately notified the government that unless his men were permitted to carry arms they would take part in no parade. An amicable agreement was reached on this point, however, without difficulty, the commonwealth government granting permission for the American sailors and marines to carry arms but no ammunition.

The detachments from the various ships were headed by their commanders and accompanied by the ship's bands. Their marching was commented upon with admiration, and they were cheered on every hand. All the streets along the route were profusely decorated and lined with federal troops and police.

On their return to the domain the visitors were entertained at lunch.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## FUNERALS

BAKER—The funeral of Agnes Baker, daughter of Frank and Valerie, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 31 Chelmsford street, and burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

FABRY—The funeral of Annie Fabry took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 5 Cross street, and burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker Savage had charge.

PEARSON—The funeral of Miss Henrietta Pearson took place from her home, 54 South Whipple street, Thursday afternoon, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful floral offerings. Services were conducted by Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gorton street Methodist church.

Mrs. John Millman, Mr. Richard Potter and Mr. N. W. Matthews, Jr., sang "Some Time We'll Understand," "Nearer, My God, to Thee," "The Christian's Good Night," "The Banners were William Ashworth, Joseph Greenworth, William Park and John Howard. Mr. Howard had charge of the arrangements, and the burial was in the family lot in the Gorton cemetery under the direction of Undertakers J. B. Currier & Co.

McKINNON—The funeral of Robert J. McKinnon took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 161 East Merrimack street, and was largely attended. The floral tributes were as follows: A pillow from his parents; pillow, Mrs. Humes and family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Breen; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. T. Battles; spray, Mr. E. Doyle; spray, Mrs. Robert Ganley and family; pillow, Miss Violet McKinnon; Cambridge; spray, Mrs. and Mrs. G. W. Andrews; spray, Mrs. Dierke; spray, Mr. James Kitchen. The bearers were Robert Ganley, John Ganley, Willie Pollard and Geo. Hammsley. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker Peter Davey in charge.

MURPHY—The funeral of Thomas Murphy took place this morning at 9 o'clock, from his late home, 92 South street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church, where at 9.45 a solemn mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. McDermott. The choir under the direction of Mr. P. P. Haggerty, sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory Prof. P. P. Haggerty sang "Pie Jesu," and at the conclusion of mass, James E. Donnelly sang "Face to Face." As the remains were borne from the church the choir rendered "De Profundis." Mrs. McKinnon presided at the organ. Among the floral tributes was a large pillow inscribed "Father," from the sons of deceased; spray of pinks, Daughters of Veterans, Tent 23; and sprays from the comrades. The bearers were John Patten, Martin Lurney, Thomas Tulley, John Murry, James Cox and Thomas O'Loughlin. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, where Rev. Fr. McDermott read the committal prayer, and interment was under the direction of Undertakers M. H. McDonough & Sons.

MELLEN—The funeral of the late John B. Mellen took place this morning from his late home, 167 Warren street, and was largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock requiem mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Mullin. The choir, under the direction of Prof. Haggerty, rendered the Gregorian plain chant. At the offertory Prof. Haggerty sang "O Salutaris." At the conclusion of mass James E. Donnelly sang "He Wipes a Tear From Every Eye." As the body was leaving the church the choir sang "De Profundis." The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Devine, William May, Joseph Carroll, Charles Sullivan, Frank Carr, Al. Melton, Harry Toomey and Edward Hart.

Interment was in the Catholic cemetery. Fr. Mullin officiating at the grave. The interment was in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

Among the floral tributes laid upon the grave were the following: Pillow surmounted by cross, inscribed "Our John," from parents and Sister Katie; large pillow inscribed "Brother," Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Mellen; spray of 33 roses, Frank and Charles Mellen, nephews of deceased; large standing cross inscribed "John B. Mellen," Miss Margaret Bourke; crescent and star on base inscribed "Johnnie," Mr. and Mrs. P. Dowd; large wreath, Mr. and Mrs. James Kivian; wreath on base, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callahan and family; standing wreath on base, surmounted by dove with ribbon, inscribed "Rest in Peace," friends at the Arlington hotel; wreath, Mrs. and Mrs. Martin Conley; sprays, Mrs. P. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Harkins, Miss Lizzy Kennedy, Miss Minnie Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. David Halloran, Miss Mary A. Nawn, John Trainor; night blooming azalea, Mr. Fred Roper. The grave was lined with hemlock and asters by the sisters of the deceased, Mrs. George Nawn and Mrs. Martin Conley.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

PRATT—Anna F. Pratt, died Aug. 19 at Randolph, Mo., aged 85 years. Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of W. O. Wing, 233 Stevens street. Friends invited. Burial in charge of J. A. Weinbach.

NICHOLS—Died in this city, Aug. 20, Violet Nichols, aged 65 years. Funeral will be held from his residence, 22 Suffolk street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial in charge of Undertaker G. W. Hickey.

LANE—The funeral of Thomas Patrick Lane will take place from the home of his parents, 61 St. James street tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock and burial will be in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertaker J. B. Currier & Co.

SOUTH—The funeral of Miss Annie South will take place from her late home, 34 West Sixth street, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Friends of request at St. Michael's church at 9 o'clock. Burial in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

CONLEY—Infant daughter of Walter and Loretta A. Conley, died at the home of the parents, 24 Lawrence street. Funeral tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of J. P. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

## GOT CIGARS

HEAVIEST AND LIGHTEST MEN IN THE PARADE.

The heaviest man in yesterday's parade was J. S. Stevens of Haverhill who weighs 315 pounds, while the lightest man was Mr. Marriann of 157 West River. Each received a box of Boston Terriers from J. H. Buckley.

# SHOT TO DEATH

## Terrible Vengeance Wrought on a Jewish Family

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—News has reached this city of a terrible vengeance taken by the revolutionists of Yulevka, in Yekaterinislav province, upon a Jewish family named Eblestein who were accused of giving information to the authorities regarding the activities of the agitators. They visited the Eblestein house at night and threw two bombs through the window. Then then shot to death the father, a daughter, a woman guest and her child. The mother, a son, a son-in-law, and two grandsons were severely wounded.

The revolutionists temporarily retreated and help for the wounded was summoned. In the course of a couple of hours the victims who were still alive had been conveyed to a hospital. Not satisfied with their vengeance the revolutionists, now a well armed band of about 40 or 50 men, descended upon the hospital, overpowered the nurses and guards, and shot the mother and son to death, after which they escaped.

Another despatch from the provinces received here says that the prisoners in the jail at Saratov, upon discovering that two of their comrades were traitors, beat them to death.

# AMERICAN NAVY

## Is a Menace to No Power Says Pres. Roosevelt

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Upon the arrival of the American fleet at Sydney New South Wales, the president received through the British charge d'affaires the following telegram from the governor general and government of the commonwealth of Australia:

"Australians, hundreds of thousands of whom are gathered on the shores of Sydney harbor to welcome the battleship fleet of the United States at this moment entering the eastern gateway of this continent, unite in cordial greetings to President Roosevelt. The people of the commonwealth gratefully appreciate the generous response to their invitation by the president and citizens for the great republic and rejoice in the opportunity afforded by this demonstration of the might of the American naval power to express their sincere admiration of your sails and their esteem and affection for the country whose glorious flag they hope to see always floating beside that of their motherland."

When Secretary Foster returned from a night visit to the president of an early hour this morning the president sent this telegram in response:

"Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 21, 1908. 'The British charge d'affaires, Manchester, Mass. 'Thru you I have just received the cordial and kindly message from the governor general and government of the commonwealth of Australia and I desire to express in my turn to the governor general and government and thru them to the entire people of Australia the appreciation which the American people feel for their generous hospitality to the American fleet. The people of this republic hold in peculiar esteem and admiration the people of Australia and it was a very real pleasure for me on behalf of the nation to accept the generous hospitality proffered by Australia to the fleet on its voyage of peace and their esteem and affection for the country whose glorious flag they hope to see always floating beside that of their motherland.'"

"Theodore Roosevelt."

# \$600,000 LOSS FIRE IS RAGING

## Is Caused Each Day by Fire Surveyor's Party had a Narrow Escape

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—"The match and the mousetrap," "cross electric wires," and "spontaneous combustion," and other causes of mysterious fires were placed under the spotlight yesterday by Chief J. R. Canterbury of Minneapolis, at the convention of the National Firemen's association in session here.

"We are burning up property at the rate of \$600,000 worth a day," said the chief. "Why do so many fires start? Is it carelessness, culpable negligence or accident? The nature of the business and the insurance policy usually tell the story, not perhaps so that it can be given to the public, but in such a way that the men who honestly investigate can tell the why and wherefore. Over-insurance is one of the crimes of the century. The agent is honest but must make a living. He does not know what he insures and does not care so long as the premiums are paid."

"The lure of money and our present day civilization have intensified the commercial struggle to such an extent that some men will not stop at anything to help themselves along. This is not a charitable view, but our experience inspecting fires, for which mice and matches were held responsible, has hardened us. We know the motive of the man, but what was the motive that put the match where the mouse could get it. You will find it in the figures of the insurance policy. You may not be able to prove it, but it can be proven."

SONORA, Cal., Aug. 21.—The forest fire which is raging in the Hetchley-Hetchley valley continues unabated, according to reports received here last night. The fire is sweeping north and already great damage has been done. A number of houses have been destroyed and numerous head of cattle have perished.

The flames are now raging in the reserve timber tract of the West Lumber camp. A surveyor's party from San Francisco headed by E. J. Jones, is reported to have had a narrow escape.

Major Benson, superintendent of the national park at Yosemite with forty-two soldiers as well as several hundred men are fighting the flames. It is hoped by the fire authorities to check the fire at Lake Eleanor.

# HOTEL BURNED

## Many Guests Lost Their Effects

PLATTSBURG, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Fire early today destroyed Owelayout lodge, a summer hotel in Clinton county, near Merrill, and burned to death a boy employed in the house. The hotel, which accommodates about 100 guests, was crowded with visitors, most of whom came from Washington, D. C. Many of them had narrow escapes, some losing their effects. Miss Bertha Kalisch, the Polish actress, was a guest and she had a narrow escape.

# FRENCH CLERGY

## To Supply Capital for Bank

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 21.—Capital for the establishment of the proposed discount bank, it is reported in financial circles, will be supplied by the French clergy. The statement was made today that a remittance of fifty million francs as a subscription to the capital stock of the institution would be made before Oct. 10.

The subscription of fifty million francs by the French clergy, together with the \$5,000,000 which it has been stated will be made by the chartered banks of Mexico, will give the institution a capital of \$25,000,000 instead of \$10,000,000 which was possible to begin the institution. On account of the hostile attitude of the French government, it is said, the French clergy have decided to withdraw as quickly as possible all their investments in France and to place a large portion of the amount in Mexico.

# LARGE INCREASE

## IN CAPITAL OF UNION OIL COMPANY.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 21.—At their meeting yesterday the Union Oil company directors took the final steps to increase the company's capitalization from \$10,000,000 to \$50,000,000. The action was authorized at a share-holders meeting.

The regular special dividend was declared, payable Sept. 20. The directors declared a dividend of two dollars per share, payable out of surplus earnings. The regular monthly dividend of 50 cents a share was also declared.



# LATEST THE ELKINS ACT

## U. S. Government Trying to Save the Measure

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—The government's petition for a re-hearing by the United States court of appeals of the case against the Standard Oil company of Indiana was filed today and represents, it is authoritatively stated, the administration's attempt to save the Elkins act and the interstate commerce law from becoming futile.

The filing of the petition marked the appearance of Attorney General Bonaparte in the case as well as that of Frank B. Kellogg, who is a special assistant to the general attorney. Besides these two names the petition is signed by Edwin W. Sims, United States district attorney at Chicago, and Special Assistant James H. Wilkerson, both of whom presented the government's side of the case in the original hearing before Judge Landis who administered the famous fine of \$25,000 against the defendant.

Although it is not specifically stated in the petition, it was agreed by counsel for the government in their conference at Lenox, Mass., following the reversal by the appellate court of Judge Landis' decision that if the interpretation of the law given by Judge Grosvenor, Seaman and Baker were allowed to stand, successful prosecution of rebate cases against corporations would be impossible in the future. The lawyers at that conference over which the attorney general of the United States presided, were a unit in expressing the opinion that the reforms in rebate matters brought about by

the Roosevelt administration would represent so much waste of time unless the upper court can be convinced that it is in error in its construction of the law.

"On but a single point involved in the trial up to the return of the verdict of guilty," says the petition, "are the rulings of trial court criticised by the court of appeals. In all other particulars, his rulings are sustained. The point on which the trial judge is reversed by the court of appeals relates to his ruling on evidence and his charge to the jury with reference to ignorance on the part of the Standard Oil company of the lawful rate as a defense. The court of appeals in its opinion has not correctly stated how the judge ruled this subject."

Continuing the petition declares that whereas the opinion of the court of appeals states that Judge Landis refused to admit evidence to the effect that the Standard Oil company did not know what the lawful rate was, the record of proceedings in the lower court shows that such evidence was admitted.

Although the government points out what it considers other errors in the opinion of the appellate court, the allegation that the Standard Oil company did not know it was not paying the legal rate is regarded as the vital point. If with the evidence introduced at the trial before Judge Landis it can be held that the defendant did not have guilty knowledge of its own acts, then successful prosecution of similar cases is regarded as impossible.

## LAND PURCHASE COMPLETES SYSTEM

RACINE, Wis.—The appropriation by the council of \$15,000 for park purposes guarantees the immediate completion of the present park system, the purchase of the Erskine woods, the purchase of the Cape property on the north beach and the immediate establishment thereon of bath houses sufficient for all the needs of the city. The appropriation is a part payment on a total of approximately \$5,000. The erection of the bath houses on the north beach will be taken care of by private subscription.

## THE LUSITANIA THE GRANGERS

### Big Cunarder Made Sensational Run

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The Cunard liner Lusitania finished a sensational run across the Atlantic at 9.30 o'clock last night and when the official figures for the trip became available after the liner had anchored outside the bar for the night, it developed that the big turbine had not only lowered all records for the trans-Atlantic voyage by nearly four hours, but that she had also broken three other records. The official timing of the Lusitania placed her off Daunt's Rock at 11.30 o'clock last Sunday. Steaming abreast of the lights at 9.30 last night, she had made the passage in just 4 days and 15 hours. The best previous record made by her on November 8 last was 4 days, 18 hours and 40 minutes, her new performance lowering the previous mark by 3 hours and 40 minutes.

On the whole trip of 2781 miles, the Lusitania made an average speed of 25.65 knots an hour, a new record, the previous one being 25.01 made by her on her record trip last November. The third record broken is that for the greatest day's run—650 knots up to noon on the 17th—in which run she also set a new pace, averaging an average of 25.66 knots for the 24 hours.

## MAY PROVE FATAL

### Man Badly Injured by a Fall

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Benjamin Roberts, aged 29, married, of 131 East 2d street, South Boston, fell from the third story window of his home shortly after 9 o'clock last evening, and suffered probably fatal injuries. His left leg and several ribs were broken and he sustained internal injuries.

Roberts returned from work shortly after 5 o'clock in the afternoon, and said he was going to retire early. Shortly after eight he was ready for bed. Mrs. Roberts went down stairs and was sitting in the doorway talking with neighbors when she heard screams in the back yard. Mr. Roberts was found in the yard with only his right leg on.

Neighbors said they had seen Mr. Roberts sitting in the window, apparently dozing, with his head out of the window. No one saw him fall. When assistance reached him he was unconscious and unable to give an account of the fall. The distance was 40 feet. The police ambulance took him to the Carney hospital, where it was stated at midnight that he had little chance to live.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

### Want Governor Hughes Renominated

SALAMANCA, N. Y., Aug. 21.—That the Grangers of the state are in favor of the renomination of Gov. Hughes is the opinion of F. M. Godfrey, master of the State Grange. Mr. Godfrey has written the following statement for publication:

"I have had a pretty good opportunity to learn the sentiment of the people throughout the state, having attended over 20 meetings in about 20 different counties. I find that a very large proportion of the people I have talked with many democrats who say they will vote for Hughes if he is nominated and I have met republicans who say they will support the republican ticket if Hughes is not nominated."

"It looks to me as though Gov. Hughes could carry with him a larger vote for the national ticket than any other man in the state. I am satisfied that Gov. Hughes should be the nominee of the republican party for governor and that he would carry with him a victory for the national ticket in this state."

## LAKEVIEW THEATRE

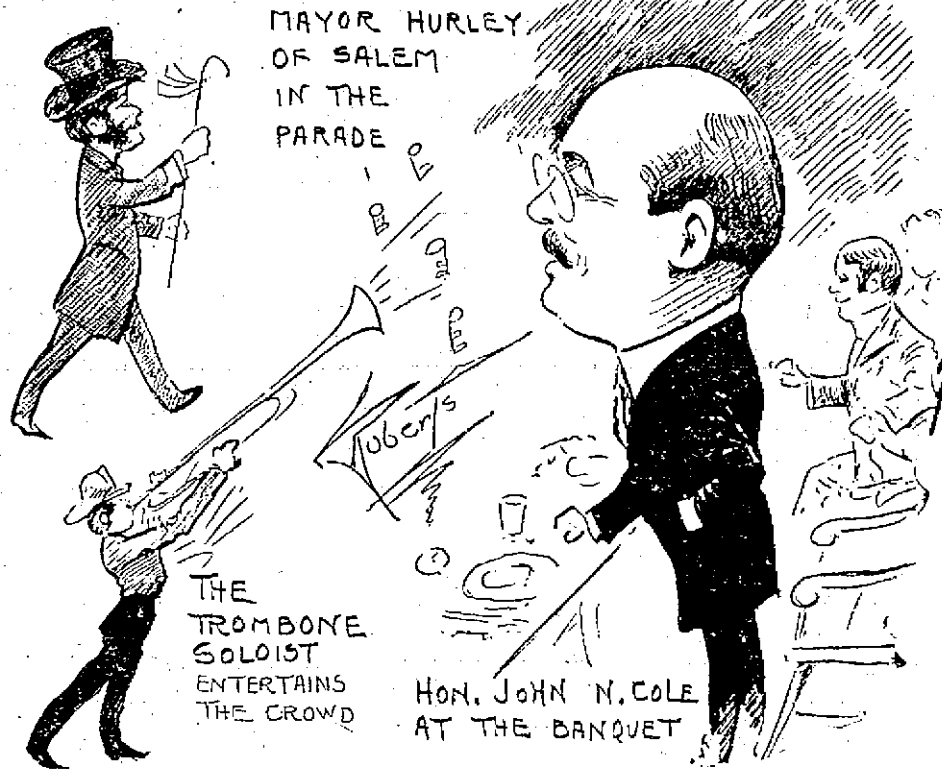
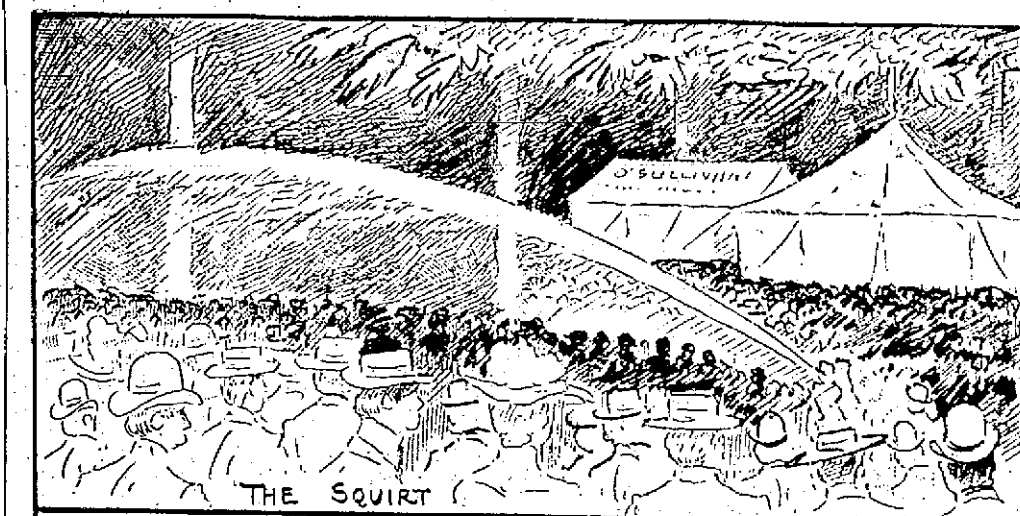
Although last week, in point of patronage, was the best week the Adam Good company has ever had at Lakeview theatre, either this summer or last, the indications are that with the two big dramatic successes it is offering this week they will break the record. Next week the same policy of offering two high class plays in one week will be continued. For the first half "The Two Orphans" will be the attraction with Miss Pingree in the role of "Louise." There have been many versions of this popular play offered to the public, but there is one version that stands alone, and that is the one in which Kate Claxton starred for many years. This version is the one used by the Adam Good company, by special arrangement with Miss Claxton, and patrons of Lakeview next week will witness the performances of "The Two Orphans" will enjoy a first class production. For the last half of the week, the company presents the powerful drama, "The Underdog," which is rightly termed a drama of politics and graft. It is the work of Eugene Walter, author of "Paid in Full" and "The Wolf," both of which were the biggest dramatic successes of the year last season in New York, and are still playing there to capacity houses. It exposes in a ruthless manner the methods of dishonest politicians and municipal grafters, hands the "ring" a few hard knocks, and no taxpayer, no citizen who has the least interest in his town or city at heart, no municipal office holder or member of a city government, but what will find in this vital drama a few truths that will hit home.

The Middlesex and Wanderers of the Lowell and Suburban league will play at Middlesex Village tomorrow afternoon.

SITUATION WANTED—A middle aged woman would like a position as housekeeper for a widower. A place in the country desired. Apply to Fay's court, off Willow st.

# WINDUP OF MUSTER

## Banquet to Firemen and Others at Associate Hall



MUSTER SKETCHES.

### Fine Entertainment With Addresses by Hon. John N. Cole, Mayor Farnham, Col. Carmichael, Humphrey O'Sullivan and Others—The Event a Great Success

The festivities of Muster day were appropriately closed with a banquet given by Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan to 300 guests, in Associate hall last evening. With Mr. O'Sullivan as host it is unnecessary to state that the banquet was of that same lavish nature which characterized the entire event. The Page-Evans combination catered, the Lowell Cadet band furnished instrumental music and the 20th Century Bachelor club, which includes the cream of Lowell's male singers, gave a delightful minstrel first part between the courses. For post-prandial exercises there was Prof. Hugh J. Molloy, the day a success and emphasizing the fact that a veteran fireman's organization such as the Butler Vets was a valuable asset to any city. Before the festivities concluded President Randall of the New England Veteran Firemen's league asked permission to say a few words and expressed the sincere thanks of the association to Mr. O'Sullivan and the Butlers for their hospitality, courtesy and for making the affair the greatest firemen's muster in history. He stated that the name of "Lowell" would long be remembered with keen delight by every veteran fireman who had attended.

The banquet was called at 8.30, at which hour Mr. O'Sullivan and his guests marched to the tables to the music of the Cadet band, which occupied a place in the gallery. A certain

drawn across the stage indicated that there would be something doing behind it in a short time.

When all had seated a menu consisting of tomato soup with bread sticks, fillet of beef with mushrooms, cold turkey, lobster salad, sultana rolls, coffee and cigars was enjoyed. Shortly after the guests had become seated, Prof. Dick Noonan appeared upon the scene and proceeded to tickle the ivories. Then from behind the curtain came a pleasing chorus and when the veil was removed the 20th Century Bachelor club stood in a semi-circle before the guests, with Charlie Slattery in the center as interpreter, the singers arrayed in white negligee shirts and dark trousers and the end men in black face and grotesque attire. Dan McCaffery, who is singing at a local theatre, appeared as a veteran fireman in full uniform and with a delightful bunch of Billy-goat whiskers which he could make perform. The Bachelors then gave the following program:

Rubber Heels Behind Curtain.  
Opening Chorus.....Company Love Dramas.....Dan McCaffery Eph. Johnson (joke).....Bert Ellis Why did they sell Kilarney?  
Jas. E. Donnelly Somebody Lied (joke).....Tip Handley Take us with you in your dream.  
Martin Maguire Buck Dance.....Jas. Powers Ireland, I Love You.....Frank Connor Quartet.  
Maguire, Golden, Curry, Moore Rag Baby (joke).....Luke McDonald Believe Me.....John Daiter True Heart (joke).....John Gleason Middle Man—Chas. D. Slattery.  
"Tip" Handley made a big hit with his song "Somebody Lied" for he rang in a verse about Humphrey and George Fred Williams at Lincoln which took the crowd. But the hit of the program was the Glendale quartet, which wound up its medley with the rendition of "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" which it sang with vim, and the guests insisted that it be sung three times.

HON. JOHN N. COLE  
The post-prandial exercises were opened by Prof. Molloy, who after a characteristically graceful speech of welcome introduced as the first speaker the Hon. John N. Cole, speaker of the house of representatives. Speaker

Cole received an ovation, which indicated that if Lowell had anything to do with it, one of the other candidates would be spelling his name "Loose" while the third would be Frothingham, at the mouth only.

But it was a day and a night to make one forget all his troubles, including politics, and the speaker entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion, and soon had the audience continued to last page.

## ELMS - KETCHUPS

### Blood Game at Spalding Park Tomorrow

That the Elms of Centralville are out for a game with some strong team is evidenced by the fact that when the Sanctuary choir and the Mathews declined to accept their challenge they immediately took on the Ketchups of Dracut and as a result another red hot blood game will be played tomorrow when the Elms and the Ketchups will cross bats for a purse of \$100 and the entire gate receipts. The game will be played on Spalding park and special cars will be run. The Elms and Ketchups both believe that they can beat each other and the Sanctuary choir and Mathews as well. The Ketchups having strengthened their team since last they met the boys from the North common. Considerable money has already been wagered on tomorrow's game and it is expected that there will be much more put up at the grounds. The Ketchups is the outgrowth of the old Florence team of the navy yard which was prominent in the old Urban and Suburban league, which gave Lowell some of the most exciting ball games ever witnessed here. Tomorrow's game should be fully as interesting as the memorable battle of the Mathews and Sanctuaries recently played at Washington park.

# TOLD SAD TALE

## Woman Said Husband Abused and Neglected Her

Mrs. William H. Hilsen related a sad tale of woe to the court this morning. She has five children, the youngest of which, nine months old, is sick and needs a mother's attention, but she has to work in the mill every day, while her husband hangs around the house or some liquor saloon. A week ago yesterday he gave her a black eye and yesterday he slapped her face twice. She said she has been trying to do her best to keep him and the children, but was getting discouraged and was going to secure a separation from him.

She was willing to do everything in her power to make home life happy for him, but he was not willing to do his share and as a result she has been leading the life of a drudge. Hilsen offered a few very lame excuses and after the court had given him a good talking to he was sentenced to five months in jail, the sentence was suspended and he was placed in the hands of the probation officer for a term of three months.

### AFRAID OF HUSBAND.

Mrs. Patrick Donnell said that she was afraid to stay in the same house with her husband when he gets drunk. She said he was a good man when sober, but that he was very seldom sober. She said he spent his time around barrooms and got his liquor on "tick." He was placed on probation.

### WAS FINED \$10.

George H. Mahan pleaded guilty to being drunk also with assault and battery upon unknown persons. The arresting officer said that he met Mahan near the corner of Decatur and Salem streets about two o'clock in the afternoon. He saw Mahan strike some man with his fist. Mahan then went to the corner of Common street and struck half a dozen people. The officer advised Mahan to go home, but he refused, whereupon he was placed under arrest. He was fined \$10 for the assault and the case of drunkenness was placed on file.

### THEY HAD A FIGHT.

George H. Spellman and John F.

Taft got into a fight on the North common yesterday afternoon about five o'clock and attracted a large crowd of people. They were arrested and in court this morning were fined \$10 each.

### LARCENY CHARGE.

The case of William Conroy, charged with drunkenness and the larceny of \$10 from Alfred E. Shaw, was continued till tomorrow morning, bail being placed at \$300.

### SUSPENDED SENTENCE.

Frank W. Merrill was in for the third time, but the court thought there was a chance for reformation and imposed a suspended sentence of three months in jail.

### FOUND NOT GUILTY.

John Conley denied that he pinched \$2.00 from his room mate, Matthew Lusty. Lusty informed the court that he was out celebrating yesterday and was pretty drunk when he reached his boarding house in Colburn street. He went upstairs and found Conley in bed, but instead of going to bed he decided to go to sleep in a chair. Some time early this morning he said that Conley went through his pockets and stole about \$2.00. The court, however, was informed that when Lusty got drunk he generally gave his money to Conley for safe keeping. Conley was found not guilty and discharged. He and Lusty left the court room side by side and chatted as though it was a commonplace occurrence to accuse a person of crime and then make up the difference.

### THE DRUNKS.

Bernard O'Neil, a third offender, was sentenced to one month in jail. John J. Leary who was under a suspended sentence of four months in jail was given another chance, being placed in the care of the probation officer. John F. Leary was fined \$5 as were Edward Roach and Edward J. Allen. There were four \$2 drunks and 11 were released.

### PLACED ON FILE.

The case of Barney Scholsbard, charged with obstructing the street, was placed on file.

## PARK BOARD SUPERINTENDENTS

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—The park and cemetery commissions have adopted formal resolutions in reference to criticisms that have been made against the superintendents of the public parks on account of their being engaged in private landscape work. The board takes the ground that the performance of such work for citizens of Grand Rapids results in the substantial improvement in the appearance of the city; and that when done for neighboring towns, they are simply doing a neighborly act which tends to raise the prestige of Grand Rapids in matters of outdoor art, besides having a tendency to educate the superintendents and give them larger experience. Finally, the board holds that the fine condition of the parks and cemeteries does not indicate any neglect and it would be unwise to cripple the usefulness of the superintendents by holding them down to hard and fast rules.

## OFFICIAL DINNER

### In Honor of American Officers

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 21.—Following the official landing of the American visitors today, and their public reception by the state and commonwealth authorities, the city, the harbor and the shipping were brilliantly illuminated this evening. The governor of New South Wales, Sir Harry Rawson, gave an official dinner at seven o'clock in honor of the American officers, and the commonwealth government entertained the officers, sailors and marines of the fleet at theatre parties and at other places of amusement. The illuminations were striking. All the public buildings were outlined with countless devices and decorations conveying sentiments of welcome and fraternity displayed on every hand, private buildings vied with the municipal edifices in the brilliancy of their decorations, while the American battleships in the harbor did their full share, they being literally covered with lights, large and small, while the flashlights threw vivid streams of brilliancy in every direction. The gorgeous spectacle was viewed by vast crowds that filled the streets of Sydney until a late hour.

The state banquet given by Sir Harry Rawson in the town hall was a brilliant function. There were upwards of 1000 guests and the balconies were thronged with ladies in evening dress. The hall was beautifully decorated and a large bust of President Roosevelt rested on an elevated pedestal behind the seat of Admiral Sperry.

Charles G. Wade, the premier of

New South Wales, presided. Alfred Deakin, the prime minister of the commonwealth, made a striking address of welcome. "Australia," he said, "in one in body and soul in welcoming our American visitors. The sixteen white clad battleships in the harbor scarcely can be described as vessels of peace but they might rightly be called harbingers of arbitration. I trust that President Roosevelt will be informed in the words of the famous Captain Josiah Tattnall, that 'blood is, and always will be, thicker than water.'"

When Admiral Sperry rose and reiterated his former statement of the indebtedness of the American navy to the example of Great Britain he was given an ovation. He said he knew no better training for American naval officers than a systematic study of Great Britain's triumphs at sea. Something more than sentiment, he said, underlay the magnificent welcome that had been accorded them in Sydney. Ties of blood, community of interest and intermarriage united the American and the British peoples and these bonds would be drawn closer with the completion of the Panama canal.

## REPORT DENIED

### THAT SEVERAL PERSONS WERE KILLED.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., Aug. 21.—A report which became current last night of a wreck with several fatalities on the Pennsylvania and Harrisville Narrow Gauge railroad at Pensboro, proves to have been unfounded. While an engine pulling several coaches was taking water a loose engine collided with it, knocking up the passengers but injuring no one.

## ON DRESS PARADE

Yesterday was Firemen's Day and it was a great affair, but today is New York Cloak and Suit Co's day, for

## THE SHEATH GOWN

the human form divine is worth going miles to see. The reception will only last today. Every lady who loves style and fashion should attend. The lady is beautiful in form, face and figure.

Admission, free. Everybody welcome. Call early in the afternoon, today, and see one of the rarest sights ever seen in this city for style and fashion.

With the wonderful low prices for all kinds of ladies' wearing apparel and the special attention this place will be the centre of attraction today.

NEW YORK CLOAK AND SUIT CO. 12 to 18 John Street.



## JUDGE CROSBY RED CROSS TENT

Will Give Yeggs Heavy Sentence

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—If we could get some of the robbers and highwaymen into this court and give them all 20-year sentences in state prison, the epidemic of crime would soon be stopped.

This statement was made yesterday afternoon by Judge Crosby of the superior criminal court just before imposing a reformatory sentence upon John E. Graham, who had been convicted of giving straw ball.

Aside from giving the yeggs, Judge Crosby also struck a blow at college graduates who become entangled in the meshes of the law. Upon this matter he said: "Graham is a Princeton graduate, and that is all the more reason why he should be punished for his training and education should have taught him better."

Not only Judge Crosby, but other judges have concluded to deal with criminals severely in the future and especially in assault cases. "This will be done, it is said, in order to stamp out crimes which have been prevalent for the past six weeks in Greater Boston."

In doing this the judges are following the example of Judge Thomas Russell, who presided in the criminal court in the late '80s. At that time there was an epidemic of crime in Boston and many judgments. In all of these cases Judge Russell imposed a 20-year sentence.

Before adopting this system Judge Russell issued an order to the police that if they would bring in the guilty men he would stamp out crime and drive every crook from the city.

## FOUND DEAD

TWO AGED MEN KILLED BY GAS.

WARREN, Aug. 21.—Two aged men, Cornelius Cronin and Daniel Huley, who had been associated since their childhood days in Ireland were found dead last night at the home of Cronin's daughters, Nellie and Mary, with whom the father lived. Death was caused by gas which escaped from a gas stove. Cronin was 81 years of age, and Huley, 80.

Did Good Work at Muster Yesterday

The doctors in the Red Cross tent were kept busy during the day administering first aid to the injured. Dr. Daniel A. O'Brien had general charge and was ably assisted by Dr. Patrick Sullivan, Dr. Frank O'Sullivan, Dr. James Leary and Dr. Stephen Johnson. There were two ambulances from St. John's hospital in attendance. Twenty-two cases were treated during the day, a couple of the more serious cases being taken to St. John's hospital.

The following is a list of the accidents which were not published in yesterday's issue of The Sun:

George Stephenson, Gardiner, veteran, fractured finger of left hand, lost nail.

William Costello, 31 East street, Boston, first finger of right hand caught in the brake of a machine. The finger was amputated at the first joint.

John H. Cheever, Roxbury, veteran, exhaustion.

George Macey, Portland, Me., veteran, scalp wound.

John Colmore, 18 Jefferson street, Worcester, veteran, exhaustion.

William Minchilli, veteran, Woonsocket, R. I., exhaustion.

Thomas Gady, veteran, Waltham, fracture of the left ankle, sustained while working a brake; removed to St. John's hospital.

John Pitts, veteran, Jamaica Plain, lacerated wound on chin. Two stitches taken.

A. P. Bateman, Edgewood, R. I., veteran, contused wound on the ring finger of the right hand.

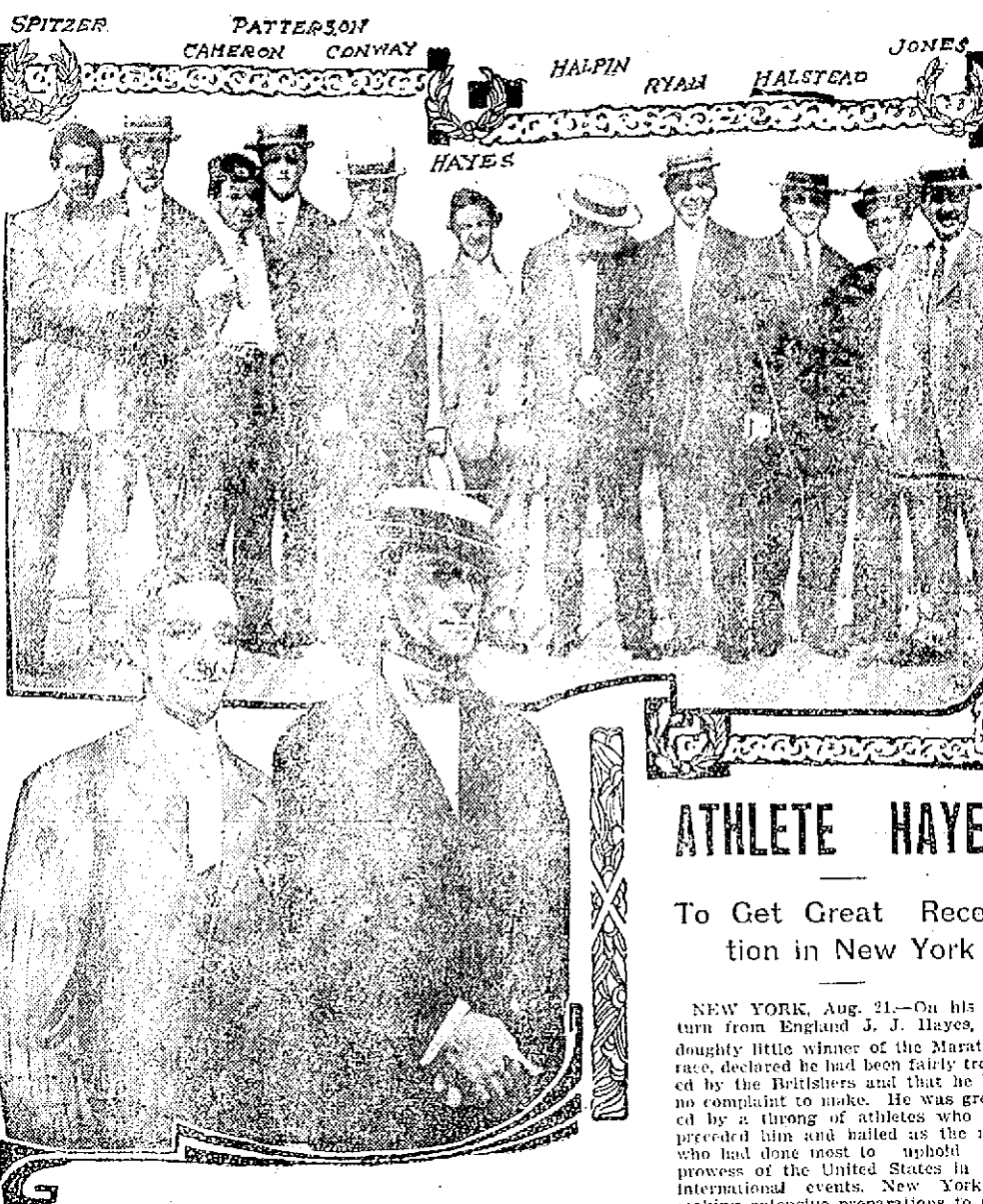
Stephen Morell, 63 Paxon street, Newton, abdominal trouble.

John A. & y O U g p z M M s t o n

## FINED A CENT

BECAUSE HE SAT ON A STONE WALL.

BROCKTON, Aug. 21.—For sitting upon the granite wall surrounding the beautiful home of Mrs. Mary Cobb Howard, one of the richest women in this city, Henry W. French, a young shoemaker, today, in the police court, was fined one cent, the smallest amount ever imposed here.



## ATHLETE HAYES

To Get Great Reception in New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—On his return from England J. J. Hayes, the doughty little winner of the Marathon race, declared he had been fairly treated by the Britishers and that he had no complaint to make. He was greeted by a throng of athletes who had preceded him and hailed as the man who had done most to uphold the prowess of the United States in the international events. New York is making extensive preparations to give the athlete a royal reception on Aug. 23. There will be a big street parade, speech making and a banquet. President Roosevelt also has invited the boys to visit them at Oyster Bay. In these pictures Hayes is shown surrounded by the athletes and others who met him at the pier.

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## THREAT TO LYNCH

Lynn Mob Wanted to String Up a Negro

LYNN, Aug. 21.—A mob of 1500 people, with shouts of "Lynch him; lynch him," tried to take away Henry Tyler, a negro, aged 30 years, from a reserve police officer in an alleyway near the New England Telephone and Telegraph company's building here last night, and had severely punished the colored man when seven police officers came to the rescue and succeeded in carrying the prisoner to the station house before he was more badly hurt. Tyler, who was but recently released from state prison, was detected last night by Reserve Officer W. A. Crawley. It is alleged, in the act of breaking into the second hand store and auction shop of George Lambert on Oxford street, Officer Crawley sprang at Tyler, who turned upon the policeman, it is charged, and struck him a heavy blow over the head with a cold chisel, with which the negro had been trying to effect an entrance to the building. Although cazed by the blow, Crawley attempted to grapple with the negro at the same time drawing his revolver. The weapon was discharged but the bullet missed its mark. Tyler then attempted to hit the officer another blow with the chisel, but Crawley warned it off and the negro broke away and ran at full speed down the street with Crawley in hot pursuit, discharging his revolver two or three times to attract attention.

As the mishap occurred within a few



HARRY TAYLOR, The Negro Whom a Lynn Mob Wanted to Lynch.

steps of a crowded section of the city, a large crowd joined the officer in pursuit of the negro. In desperation Tyler dodged down an alleyway near the New England Telephone and Telegraph company's building, where Crawley caught up with him. The crowd fell to the ground, each fighting hard for the upper hand, and both uttering cries. The crowd, which by this time numbered 1500, thinking that the officer had been shot, attempted to get at the negro. Someone started the cry "Lynch him; lynch him," when another police officer and a citizen jumped to Crawley's side to protect the now thoroughly frightened negro. The mob, however, persisted in its efforts to take away the prisoner, when six additional policemen rushed upon the scene, and bowling their way through the mob to Crawley's side surrounded Tyler and took him to the station house. There, he was locked up on a charge of at-

tempt to break and enter and assault upon a police officer. Crawley's wounds were attended to at the hospital where he was taken immediately, and in a short while he was able to resume his duties.

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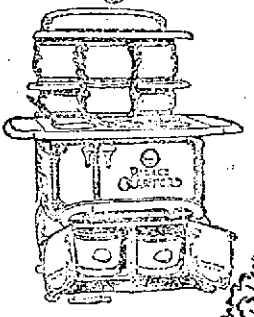
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# ASKS A REHEARING

## Government Files Petition in Standard Oil Case

### Claims That Court of Appeals Has Not Correctly Stated How Trial Judge Ruled — The Government Takes Issue With the Court on Several Points — Says Court of Appeals Handed Down An Erroneous Rule

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—A petition was filed by the government today for a rehearing by the United States court of appeals in the case of the government against the Standard Oil company of Indiana.

A synopsis of the petition is given below:

The government presents its petition in accordance with the rule of the court. The indictment in the case was for a violation of the Elkins act of February 19th, 1903, making it a crime to accept a concession whereby any property is transported in interstate commerce at less than the published and filed rate.

It was proved at the trial that the Chicago & Alton railway company transported to East St. Louis, Illinois and St. Louis, Missouri 142 carloads of oil.

In all the dealings between shipper and carrier each carload was treated as a distinct transaction and handled as a distinct piece of business. The published and filed rates on this business were eighteen cents per one hundred pounds to East St. Louis and nineteen and a half cents to St. Louis. The Standard Oil company actually settled on the basis of six cents to East St. Louis and seven and a half cents to St. Louis.

These facts were admitted. The Standard Oil company interposed to claim in defense that the Elkins act was unconstitutional; that the tariffs had not been posted in two public places at the stations, and interposed many technical defenses.

On but a single point involved in the trial up to the return of the verdict of guilty are the rulings of the trial judge criticized by the court of appeals. In all other particulars his rulings are sustained.

The court of appeals in its opinion has not correctly stated how the judge ruled on this subject. It is said in the opinion that he refused to admit evidence to the effect that the Standard Oil company did not know what the lawful rate was. The fact is and the record so shows, that all evidence tending to show ignorance on the part of the Standard Oil company was admitted for the consideration of the jury.

THE JURY'S VERDICT. This evidence was largely that of the traffic manager of the Standard Oil company, Bogardus, who swore to a conversation with Hollands, the rate clerk of the Alton, in which he said Hollands told him that the rate had been filed. The government met this testimony by a great array of circumstances which tended to disprove it and the jury found in favor of the government.

The trial judge ruled that ignorance on the part of a shipper of what the lawful rate was could be interposed as a defense, but that it would not constitute a defense if it appeared that the ignorance was the result of neglect on the part of the shipper or of willful failure on the part of the shipper to resort to the sources of information which were available.

The government contends that this is the correct construction of the statute on this subject. The court of appeals lays down the rule that it is necessary for the government to show beyond a reasonable doubt, as a part of its case that the shipper actually knew what the lawful published and filed rate was.

The government contends that this is an impossible rule that it is contrary to the purpose of the Elkins act; that

be prosecuted and how much they shall be fined.

The government contends in the petition that the court of appeals has done a great injustice to trial Judge Landis in misstating what he did in connection with the imposition of the fine on the Standard Oil company.

The circuit court of appeals in its opinion charges that Judge Landis assumed to fine the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, and imposed the large fine for the reason that he was satisfied that the Standard Oil company of New Jersey was not a "virgin offender."

The government shows in its petition that Judge Landis never referred to the Standard Oil company of New Jersey in this connection and that the language used in connection with the Standard Oil company of Indiana, and that nowhere were the proceedings directed or pretended to be directed against the Standard Oil company of New Jersey.

TAKES ISSUE WITH COURT. The government takes issue with the court of appeals that Judge Landis proceeded in this case "unhindered by a strange doctrine in Anglo-American jurisprudence," and says that the proceedings of Judge Landis are in accordance with the rule of procedure pointed out by Mr. Bishop in his work on criminal law as one of the elementary principles of that jurisprudence recognized from the earliest days.

The government takes issue with the circuit court of appeals as to its proposition that a defendant cannot be fined more than the value of the property which he possesses and states that this rule is an innovation in criminal law and if applied would destroy the enforcement of most statutes.

The government claims that the facts before the court of appeals justify the imposition of the penalty inflicted by the trial judge.

It appears from the record in the Circuit Court of Appeals that the net profit of the business of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, the corporation that Judge Landis fined, for the years during which it was convicted were committed and including the year in which it was indicted amounted to \$33,583,208.80.

On this point the petition states: "We respectfully call the attention of the court to the statement of the Standard Oil company of Indiana on file in this case, referred to by the court in its opinion and treated as proper for consideration in determining whether or not the penalty was excessive."

That statement shows, with reference to the assets and liabilities and profits of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, the following:

"STANDARD OIL CO. (Indiana). Year Gross Assets Liabilities Profits 1899 ... \$15,354,494.15 \$3,649,314.15 \$11,705,180.00 1900 ... 16,077,018.21 2,758,625.09 13,318,393.12 1901 ... 16,455,213.71 2,968,417.01 13,486,796.70 1902 ... 17,794,673.94 3,306,620.54 14,488,053.40 1903 ... 21,277,018.79 4,555,256.12 16,721,762.67 1904 ... 23,057,709.61 5,882,952.32 17,174,757.29 1905 ... 29,713,281.27 2,435,572.92 27,277,708.35 1906 ... 27,502,680.85 1,173,182.75 26,329,498.10

The punishment therefore is no more severe than that is inflicted upon a letter carrier who steals a letter and is sent to the penitentiary for three years, thereby depriving him of his earning capacity for that time. It is not nearly so severe as the minimum penalty of five years in the penitentiary imposed upon a banker who misapplies the funds of his bank.

The government claims that on account of the size of the fine alone, there is no necessity for a retrial of the case; that the Circuit Court of Appeals may, itself, name the fine which should be imposed and calls upon the court to do so in case it adheres to the view that Judge Landis abused his discretion in imposing so large a fine.

THE CONCLUSION. The petition concludes: "It is therefore respectfully submitted that the opinion of this court is based upon a misconception of the record with reference to the rulings of the trial judge as to the admission of evidence tending to show want of knowledge, and with reference to his construction of the statute on that subject, and the theory on which the case was tried; that the evidence of Bogardus which it is claimed showed want of knowledge was admitted, that it was overruled, however, by the facts and circumstances of the case, and that the evidence as an entirety was sufficient to show actual knowledge, or what in law was its equivalent."

That the interpretation of the statute by this court, imposing no duty on the shipper and permitting a defense of ignorance to be made without regard to the negligence of the shipper, is contrary to the language of the statute and to its purpose, and seriously impairs the efficiency of the act;

That the ruling stated in the opinion as to the basis for determining the number of offenses involved in an erroneous construction of the statute and fails to take into consideration that the thing which is prohibited by the act is the transportation of property at the unlawful rate;

That the criticism of the trial judge for abuse of discretion rests upon a wrong assumption of what the trial judge actually did and assumes that he attempted to try and punish the Standard Oil company of Indiana; when in fact, as appears from the record, the entire proceedings were directed against the defendant, the Standard Oil company of Indiana;

That the ruling stated in the opinion to the effect that a fine is excessive when it exceeds in amount the ability of the defendant to pay is an innovation in criminal law and if generally applied would prevent the practical enforcement of most criminal statutes;

That, in short, the opinion of the court is based upon material portions of the record; does injustice to the trial judge; does injustice in a new trial the rule of law to be applied, both as to knowledge on the part of the shipper, and as to the number of offenses; appears to be in conflict with the language of the supreme court and with the language of the statute of the presiding judge of this court, and with the great weight of legal authority; and, if permitted to remain unmodified, will tend to encourage disobedience to law, to impede the enforcement of salutary statutes and largely to defeat their purpose.

For the reasons stated we respectfully request that a reargument of this case be granted.

The petition is signed: Charles J. Bonaparte, Attorney General, Frank B. Kellogg, Special Assistant to the Attorney Gen., Edwin W. Sims, United States Attorney, James H. Wilkinson, Special Assistant U. S. Attorney.

## \$5000 FUND FOR THE AID OF DISABLED MINISTERS.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The will of Dr. Joachim Elmendorf of New York city, admitted to probate today, directs that at the death of his widow, \$5,000 shall be given to the Synod of the Reformed church of America, to create the Elmendorf fund, the income of which is to be annually given to the beneficiaries of the disabled ministers fund. The income from the estate is given to his widow during

her life time, and then the estate, which is valued at about \$75,000 is to be divided equally among the two daughters and one granddaughter of the testator, Mrs. Edward B. Judson of Saratoga, Mass., and Katherine Elmendorf Lodge of New York city.

## IS CAPTURED

AIN-ED-DOWLEH TAKEN BY REVOLUTIONISTS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—A special dispatch received here from Tehe-

ran says that Ain-Ed-Dowle, who arrived outside Tabriz a couple of days ago, at the head of 1200 government troops, has been captured by the revolutionists.

## WON AN AUTO

BY AGREEING TO TAKE IT AWAY.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 21.—Alfred Giard of 94 Adams street is the happy possessor of a touring car automobile, given away on Main street yesterday

afternoon, and he has it now at home. The car broke down on Main street, and as usual a crowd gathered. The owner of the car, a prominent physician, tried in vain to make the car go. Then he grew indignant and to the astonished crowd said he would give it away to anybody who would take it. Giard said he would and took it.

Mr. Sydney Martin of 67 Burr street with wife and family, arrived in Lowell yesterday after having spent the last six weeks in London, England.

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5000 yards Plain Colored Sateen, full 36 inches wide, colors blue, cream, white, grey and tan. Just the fabric for comforters and puffs, being right width and colorings. These goods are slightly imperfect, but the imperfections are so slight that they might be called perfect. Regular price for these goods 19c yard. Special to close

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## Shikie Pongee Silk Specials

A few hundred yards in remnants of this fashionable rough Pongee, of the Rajah variety, have just been received by us from the mills. Several dress patterns in Copenhagen, blues and natural Pongee shades. Remember there are only a few of these, so the early shoppers will be the ones that will get the benefit of this big reduction. Regular price for this quality of silks \$1.00 yard. To close

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## Clean-up Sale In Suit Dept.

White Linen Suits, were \$7.50, now ..... \$2.98  
White Muslin Two-Piece Dresses, were \$15.00, now ..... \$5.00  
Mohair and Panama Dress Skirts, blue and black only, were \$5.00, now ..... \$2.98  
White Muslin Two-Piece Dresses, were \$2.50, now ..... 98c  
White Muslin Kimonos, were \$1.25, now ..... 83c  
Children's White Lawn Dresses, sizes 6 to 11 years, were \$1.50 and \$1.08, now ..... 49c  
Fancy Lawn Kimonos and Dressing Sarees, were \$5.00, now ..... 49c  
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Men's Bathing Suits, navy and black, guaranteed fast colors, sizes 34 to 46, shirts made with quarter sleeves and athletic trunks to match.

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25 dozen Reversible Four-In-Hands, made of white madras and chevrons, self figures. To close

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10 dozen Shirts and Drawers, made of white gauze and French balbriggan, assorted styles and broken sizes. These garments sold for 75c and \$1.00 when season opened. To close

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Outing Flannel, yard wide, very heavy quality, all new patterns, pink, blue and cream, also fancy colorings. Regular price on the piece, 15c yard. Only 10c Yard

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## White Bed Spreads

2 new cases of White Bed Spreads have been added to our White Bed Spread sale which is going on in our basement. These spreads are slightly imperfect but nothing to impair the wear of the spreads.

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\$1.50 value, only ..... 80c  
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\$2.00 value, only ..... \$1.19

## Marseilles & Satin Finish Spreads.

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Very Fine quality Percale, 32 inches wide, guaranteed fast colors, blue with polka dots and Shepherd plaids. Regular price 10c yard. Only 6½c Yard

Yard wide Percale, in dark and light colors, all new patterns, guaranteed fast colors. Regular price 12½c yard. Only 9c Yard

4 cases of extra fine quality Dress Goods, Mohair, Siellan and Cashmere, 36 to 50 inches wide. These are remnants and can be matched up in lengths for waists, skirts and shirt waist suits.

50c value, only ..... 20c Yard  
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New assortment of Plaids just received, handsome and bright colorings with wool effect. Regular price 25c yard. Only 12½c Yard

Extra Fine White Lawn, 40 inches wide, suitable for dresses, waists and aprons. Regular price 12½c yard. Only 9c Yard

Mercerized Saten, yard wide, guaranteed fast black. Just the fabric for aprons and skirts. Regular price 20c yard. Only 15c Yard

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This is by far the largest net average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

LABOR SHOULD DEMAND INVESTIGATION.

The labor unions of New England should take up the question of who is responsible for bringing thousands of Italians to the Wood mill of Lawrence under guarantee of steady work and good pay.

They should insist that the immigration department find out who is responsible for putting up great billboards in the cities of Italy, appealing to the people to leave their homes and go to Lawrence, Mass., to get rich by working in the Wood mill.

Several thousands came, but they have been thrown out of work, and a large number, it is alleged, have received financial assistance in returning to their own country.

It is the duty of the labor unions as the parties mainly affected to demand an investigation in order to find what company, what individual or what agency helped them to leave Lawrence. We are convinced that in this matter a crime has been committed against the people so deceived and against American labor. We believe, too, that an investigation of the right kind will bring to light who is to blame in the matter. It may be that the immigration department has been lax in the enforcement of the law in such matters, but if that department has reasons of its own for failing to act then appeal to a higher authority in order that the guilty parties may be exposed and punished, whether they turn out to be the management of the Wood mill of Lawrence or some conscienceless padrone who is taking advantage of the ignorance and cupidity of the people for his own aggrandizement.

When such bright prospects are held out to these people to induce them to leave their homes, is it any wonder they become desperate when they are left destitute in the land of the stranger? Is it any wonder that under such conditions they become bandits and pass from city to city like tigers at bay, ready to shoot down anybody who interferes with them.

The situation is very grave at the present time, and there is slight prospect of an improvement.

The republican party and the trusts for which it is sponsor are to blame primarily for the panic and all the evil consequences resulting therefrom.

If we want to get rid of the bandits we must provide them a means of sustenance and invite them to come in and live at our expense rather than continue to forage at large with revolvers in hand in order to obtain enough to keep them alive.

When the cold weather comes the men who are now living as bandits in the woods will have to come in or be frozen to death. During the hard times cities must be more liberal in aiding the poor or there will be deaths from starvation; there will be murders, suicides, burglaries, holdups and highway robberies.

THE MUSTER A GREAT BOOM FOR LOWELL.

The muster of the New England Veteran Firemen's League, held here yesterday, was beyond question the best ever held in any New England city. The success of the event was a great boom for the city of Lowell. The vast multitude of strangers who visited yesterday must carry away the most favorable impression of our city, and one that will doubtless induce them to drop in again whenever they can. The parade was the largest ever seen here without any exception, and a jollier or more orderly lot of men it would be impossible to find. It would be ungenerous in any notice of the success of the great parade, not to ascribe it to its prime mover, its first cause, its promoter, its organizer and perfecter, Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan. He certainly deserves the gratitude of Lowell citizens for giving them a parade that must have cost him not less than \$10,000.

NO UNOFFICIAL GRAND STANDS WANTED.

It would be a very selfish undertaking for any land owner along the route of the auto race on Labor day to erect grand stands to be rented during the race.

The Lowell Auto club depends mainly upon the revenue from the official grand stands to recoup them for the heavy expenses incurred in promoting the race and carrying out the arrangements in a creditable manner. The public will not favor any scheme of this kind, and no unofficial grand stands will be patronized.

THE WAVE OF CRIME.

An apparent subsidence in the wave of crimes of violence in this section has been noticeable for a few days past. Weight is thus lent to the theory that the rage of lawless passions is largely attributable to atmospheric conditions, and that when the temperature becomes unbearable men go mad. The disturbances accompanying the recent term of excessive heat have certainly decreased in number since the weather became endurable.—Boston Post.

There is no reason to assume that the so-called "wave of crime" was due to the hot weather. It began with the curtailment in the factories, the first real outbreak being the shooting by bandits in Woburn. It is not likely to cease until the republican panic is lifted by the trusts.

It is not unbridled passion that drives these men to shoot and kill; it is hunger and the lack of work.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

TO ARM THE POLICE.  
Boston Herald. It is gratifying to see public opinion in Massachusetts coming to support of The Herald's contention that the police shall be armed with first-class weapons and trained to use them, and that possession of weapons by this state, by other than officers of the law, shall be hedged about with strict provisions, affecting dealers in weapons as well as those who purchase them. The city of Lowell has set about equipping its police with first-class weapons, equal to those which are likely to be used against officers by the lawless, and it will insist on practice in use of the weapons. The town of Woburn has taken similar action. Boston still is satisfied with a state of relative inefficiency and its superior police officials discount the chronicles which show how crime abounds. Chicago is busy enforcing a new ordinance compelling registration of all weapons, antique as well as modern, and is insisting on strict licensing of persons owning or carrying them. Chief Shipley says that this policy has reduced the practice 50 per cent.

PHENOMENA OF HEREDITY.  
Philadelphia Telegraph. It is one of the phenomena of heredity that a boy wants to be what his father was—if a shoemaker then a shoemaker, if an iron worker then an iron worker, if an artisan of any line then an artisan in that line; and the father and mother who have come to hate the smell of leather, or the grime of the smithy, the oil waste of the machine, or the sweat of down-right hard work, cajole or coerce that boy into something that is genteelly dull or respectably stupid, and kill the germ that would have produced the manufacturer, the mechanical engineer or the capitalist.

SHELDON IS DISAPPOINTED.  
Boston Traveler. George R. Sheldon, treasurer of the republican national committee, has lost the enthusiasm with which he started to collect money without appealing to corporations, and now says that he regards that portion of the law which forbids contributions to party funds by corporations as "foolish," and corporations should be allowed to help the election of any candidate whom they think will be instrumental in conserving their interests. In view of Mr. Taft's

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All in the sale are this season's finest fancy worsteds, blue serges and black and blue unfinished worsteds—and with these a group of high priced winter suits. No suit ever sold below \$15—most of them were \$20—a fair share were \$25, all now \$12.50

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We never put in stock suits to sell below \$10. We have brought together what we had of men's suits that sold for \$10 and \$12, some even more expensive. Fancy worsteds, AMERICAN WOOLEN CO.'S Blue Serges and All Wool Black Tibets. Every coat made with hand-felled collar. These \$10 and \$12 suits, all now \$7.75

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Smartest cut. Every suit this season's and as good today as when these sold for \$10 and \$12. Sizes 32 to 36 breast measure. This sale affords a splendid chance to fit out the young man or large boy for school—and save dollars on a good suit.



Final Mark Down on Low Shoes

We revise prices today for the last time.

330 pairs of low shoes—smart styles—gun metal, vealour calf, Russia calf, tan and patent colt, in tie or button oxfords, sold \$2.50 for \$4.00 and \$3.50, now to close.

Smart Styles of Low Shoes \$1.95

All of the small lots of gun metal, patent colt and tan shoes, that sold for \$2.50 and \$3, now in one group for \$1.95

JEWELS STOLEN

They Were Valued at \$50,000

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—From a treasure room in the country mansion of Commodore Frederick G. Bourne at Oakdale, L. I., the location of which has been a family secret since the mansion was erected, jewels valued at more than \$50,000 have been stolen. The jewels were those worn by Commodore Bourne's three daughters at the horse show, the opera and other functions famous for the display of gems worn by society leaders. Although the robbery took place nearly two months ago, it was not until today that the facts became known. Every effort has been made to recover the diamonds through the

agency of private detectives without appealing to the police. The scene of the robbery is in the heart of the millionaire colony of Long Island.

The secret of the treasure room was sedulously guarded by the family for many years. Not even personal friends who believed they had inspected every apartment in Indian Neck hall, as the mansion is known, were aware that the room existed.

Commodore Bourne and his family left Indian Neck hall two months ago for Dark Island on the St. Lawrence river while extensive alterations were being made on the mansion. It is said the plans called for an expenditure of nearly \$500,000, which made it necessary to intrust the secret of the treasure room to one or two expert mechanics.

Following the departure of the family 150 men were engaged on the repairs. It is not definitely known when the treasure room was invaded, but a member of the family discovered the robbery and reported immediately to Commodore Bourne. He insisted that

absolute secrecy be preserved, and engaged private detectives.

Disguised as artisans, they joined in the activities of repairs on the mansion and thus became acquainted with all of the workmen. They accepted the theory that some of the men held the key to the mystery of the robbery.

It was said last night that the detectives have centered their investigation on two men, and are seeking to learn if they are the ones to whom the secret of the treasure room was intrusted. No trace of the stolen jewels has thus far been found. They belonged to the Misses Marion, Marjorie and Florence Bourne.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Howes of Walker street are staying at the Taylor cottage, Salisbury beach, and have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith, Rev. Geo. H. Howes, Miss Edith V. Cokerille and Miss Susan C. Lynch.

RACE RIOTING

Broke Out in Chicago Yesterday

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—In a fight yesterday between white and black dock laborers, employed on the Western transit company's wharves, growing out of antagonism which developed since the Springfield riot, five men were injured and the police restored order only after a free use of clubs and by threats to shoot.

Some of the whites declared they would not go back to work today unless the negroes quit. This the latter refused to do, and a fight ensued in which Hugh Brady, white, was stabbed by a negro.

The fighting then became general. Bricks and clubs were used freely. The trouble attracted the attention of the white and negro laborers employed by the Lehigh valley transportation company, and they ran to the scene and took sides.

Rid calls were sent in and policemen were rushed to the docks. They charged the rioters with drawn clubs and succeeded in arresting Hawkins, the negro who is alleged to have stabbed Brady.

Fearing that an attempt would be made to take the colored prisoner from them, the policemen drew revolvers and threatened to shoot the first man who made an advance. This had the desired effect and further trouble was avoided.

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# LOWELL WOKE UP SOME FAST HEATS

## And Played a Gilt Edged Game of Base Ball

### Nearly 3000 People Saw Home Team Defeat Brockton in Best Game of the Season—Duval Held Visitors to Two Hits

"Muster Day" brought to Washington park the largest baseball crowd of the season, 2500 being present when play was called for the Lowell and Brockton game.

Among the Brockton rooters present at the game were Rep. Edward Gilmore of the ninth Plymouth district, Rep. Timothy Meade of the tenth Plymouth district, Alderman John J. O'Connell and ex-Alderman J. J. Whalen.

Manager Flanagan presented a new pitcher, J. Donovan, while "Jake" Morse, evidently anticipating a large crowd introduced the double umpire system, Connelley and M. O'Brien officiating.

Play was called at 3.15.

#### FIRST INNING.

Hickman hit to Duval and was out at first.

Catterton drew a base on balls and went out at second on M. Donovan's grounder to Wolfe.

Donovan tried to steal second and was thrown out by Lemieux.

Vandergrift sent one to J. Donovan and was an easy out at first. Magee fled out to Bannan and Howard followed suit to M. Donovan.

Score—Lowell 0, Brockton 0.

#### SECOND INNING.

Mitchell was given a free pass and was sacrificed to second by Reardon. Bannan fled out to Lemieux and McGovern sent up a high one that Vandergrift took care of.

Beard hit to Hickman and was thrown out at first. Catterton took care of Connor's fly and Wolfe drew a base on balls, then he stole second, but failed to reach third as Cox struck out.

Score—Lowell 0, Brockton 0.

#### THIRD INNING.

Waters hit to Vandergrift and was easily thrown out at first. J. Donovan made the first hit of the game, a single to center. Hickman hit a scorcher to Connor who threw to Wolfe getting Donovan at second. The ball was returned to first for a quick double play.

For Lowell Lemieux struck out Duval and Vandergrift sent grounders to J. Donovan and went out at first.

Score—Lowell 0, Brockton 0.

#### FOURTH INNING.

Catterton walked to first and reached second on M. Donovan's sacrifice. Mitchell hit to center scoring Catterton. Reardon sent a fly to Beard who returned the ball to first in time for a double play.

In Lowell's half, Hickman took care of Magee's grounder and threw him out at first. Howard was given a base on balls and Beard scored a pretty hit to right field. Connor foul flew to Waters and Wolfe fled to Hickman.

Score—Brockton 1, Lowell 0.

#### FIFTH INNING.

Bannan fled out to Beard and McGovern drew a free pass. He stole second and started to purloin third just as Waters hit to Wolfe. McGovern tried to reach home on the drive but Wolfe threw him out at the plate.

J. Donovan was retired Wolfe to Cox. Lowell Cox opened up with a two bagger and Lemieux tried to bunt but popped a fly to J. Donovan. He threw to second to get Cox, but the throw was bad and Cox went to third. Duval surprised everyone by cracking out a single, scoring Cox. Vandergrift hit to Mitchell who got Duval at second.

Vandergrift started to steal second and was called out, a pretty tough decision.

Score—Lowell 1, Brockton 1.

#### SIXTH INNING.

Lowell made three sharp fielding plays in this inning. Hickman hit to Connor and died at first. Catterton grounded to Duval and was retired at first. Wolfe took care of M. Donovan's drive and threw him out at first.

Lowell took the lead in this inning. Magee went out. J. Donovan to McGovern and Howard was retired. Hickman to McGovern. Beard then drove the ball over the right field fence for a homer. Mitchell took care of Connor's grounder and threw him out at first.

Score: Lowell 2, Brockton 1.

#### SEVENTH INNING.

Mitchell hit to Wolfe and died at first. Reardon drew a base on balls and died trying to steal second. Beard made a pretty catch of Bannan's high fly.

Wolfe started off for Lowell with a base on balls, and Cox followed with a single. Lemieux and Duval fled

out to J. Donovan and Vandergrift struck out.

Score—Lowell 2, Brockton 1.

#### EIGHTH INNING.

McGovern fled out to Magee, the latter's first out in four games. Waters hit to Wolfe and went out at first. J. Donovan was passed to first. Hickman then fled out to Connor.

Magee hit to Reardon and died at first. Howard struck out. Beard was passed to first and Connor hit to Hickman forcing Beard at second.

Score—Lowell 2, Brockton 1.

#### NINTH INNING.

Catterton hit to Connor and went out at first. M. Donovan struck out. Mitchell hit to Wolfe and went out at first.

The score:

#### LOWELL.

Vandergrift, 3b. ab r bh po a e  
Magee, lf. 4 0 0 1 0 1  
Howard, cf. 3 0 0 0 0 0  
Beard, rf. 3 1 2 2 1 0  
Connor, 2b. 4 0 0 0 0 0  
Wolfe, ss. 3 0 0 4 7 0  
Cox, lb. 3 1 2 15 0 0  
Lemieux, c. 3 0 0 3 2 0  
Duval, p. 3 0 1 0 2 0

Totals 23 3 5 27 16 0

#### BROCKTON.

Hickman, ss. 4 0 0 1 5 0  
Catterton, lf. 3 0 0 1 0 0  
M. Donovan, rf. 3 0 0 1 0 0  
Mitchell, 3b. 3 0 1 0 2 0  
Reardon, 2b. 3 0 0 3 1 0  
Bannan, cf. 3 0 0 1 0 0  
McGovern, lb. 3 0 0 1 0 0  
Waters, c. 3 0 0 6 0 0  
J. Donovan, p. 2 0 1 3 4 1

Totals 24 0 0 14 13 1

Two base hit—Cox. Home run—Beard.

Sacrifice hits—M. Donovan, Reardon.

Stolen bases—Wolfe, McGovern. Double play—Connor, Wolfe, Cox; Beard and Cox. Left on bases—Lowell 5, Brockton 6.

First base on balls—Lowell 6, Brockton 4.

Struck out—By J. Donovan 3, by M. O'Brien 2.

Umpires—Connelley and M. O'Brien. Attendance—2500.

#### DIAMOND NOTES.

New Bedford today.

Cox got two more hits in yesterday's game and felled finely.

Jack Sharrott was missing yesterday, and it was handed around that he had gone after a pitcher.

The two leaders, Worcester and Lawrence, laid off yesterday.

Wolfe gave a great exhibition of fielding yesterday, accepting eleven chances without an error.

Claude Duval pitched as nice a game as could be desired. While he was liberal with his passes, he kept them scattered.

Jim Connor is a good man in the infield. He not only plays his game well, but coaches the others.

#### N. E. LEAGUE STANDING.

Worcester 59 25 62.7  
Lawrence 58 27 61.1  
Haverhill 51 41 55.8  
Brockton 42 51 54.4  
Lynn 42 51 54.4  
Fall River 41 51 54.2  
Lowell 39 53 53.3  
New Bedford 35 59 52.8

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING.

Detroit 65 42 60.7  
St. Louis 62 46 57.4  
Cleveland 61 45 56.0  
Chicago 59 50 54.1  
Philadelphia 52 53 49.5  
Boston 52 53 49.5  
Washington 48 56 47.5  
New York 35 72 32.7

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING.

Pittsburg 64 42 60.4  
New York 61 42 61.4  
Chicago 61 46 57.0  
Philadelphia 57 46 55.3  
Cincinnati 55 55 50.9  
Boston 47 61 43.5  
Brooklyn 45 61 43.4  
St. Louis 51 61 31.9

#### GAMES TODAY.

American League.  
Chicago at Boston.  
St. Louis at New York.  
Cleveland at Philadelphia.  
Detroit at Washington.

New England League.  
New Bedford at Lowell.  
Fall River at Lawrence.  
Brockton at Worcester.

#### EASTERN LEAGUE RESULTS.

At Montreal—Providence 5, Montreal 4.  
At Rochester—Baltimore 4, Rochester 2.  
At Buffalo—Newark 3, Buffalo 2.  
At Toronto—Jersey City 6, Toronto 5.

#### BASEBALL.

Washington Park Tomorrow Afternoon

Lowell vs. New Bedford

Reserved seats for all Saturdays and holidays on sale at Carter & Sherburne's, and Wilson's stores.

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Every One Was Under 2.08 Mark

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The racing here yesterday afternoon was the fastest ever in the Hudson valley. The seven heats required to clean up the program averaging a bit faster than 2.06. Hedgewood Boy romped off the free-for-all in 2.04, 2.05, Margaret O. took the 2.22 in 2.07, and Jerry B. won the 2.12 pace in 2.06, 2.05, 2.06.

Margaret O. was the only winner who looked at any stage to be on thin ice, and she was not far from it. She was a misstep almost at the finish in the second heat. She was winning easily when she stubbed her toe, making a break. It was too close to the stand for Davis to take her back, so she came the last two or three lengths on run, giving the judges an opportunity to have taken the heat from her by a strict application of the rules.

The sport was decidedly interesting, the battle in each race being for second, third and fourth money, making the finishes close and exciting. In the 2.12 pace Charles Hall and Fred D. in their effort to beat out another, made Jerry B. step the last quarters in 2.04, 2.05, and then had to divide. Dr. Bonney getting the place in the third mile, George bringing the black horse through at the rail.

Jerry B. was in the fine field, tramping off the fast brushes very handsly. The first mile put him out of the 2.07 class, and the third mile he was in the 2.06. Margaret O. broke her long losing streak by taking the track at the word in the trot and keeping it. The first heat in 2.07, clipped a second off her record.

Storling McKinney was on his good behavior in the second heat, but was shot by the judge.

Blackwood won second money in the fast pace, after he had made a plunging break on the turn going away in the first heat. His mistake sent Baron A. Chatter in the fence, leaving John A. to force Hedgewood Boy out. In the second Blackwood went steady, being right at the winner's wheel in 2.03.

Hedgewood Boy can handle the 2.04 paces without lunging a hair, but there is a considerable doubt as to what will happen if he and the Eel come together in the free-for-all pace at Dover, as he is now promised.

Alceste, who became sick in the 2.23 trot Wednesday, died yesterday morning. Her trouble being inflammation of the bowels. Alceste was the flower of Geer's brood and had a record of 2.04, made in the M. and A. race. Her fifth heat in the M. and A. race, 2.04, is a world's record.

She was a wonderfully well bred mare and would have been a valuable as a broodmare after her racing career. By Matron after her racing career. By Matron after her racing career.

Baron Williams, Her brother, Justo of the season. The summary:

#### 2.01 CLASS, PACING, 2 IN 3.

Purse \$100.  
Hedgewood Boy, chh, by Chitwood—Neretta, by Norris (Sage) 1.  
Blackwood, big (Show) 3 2.  
John A. chh (Shaffer) 3 4.  
Baron Grattan, br (Geers) 4 3.

#### TIME.

Quarter Half quarters Mile  
First heat 1.34 1.34 1.34 2.04  
Second heat 1.34 1.34 1.34 2.03

#### 2.00 CLASS, TROT, 2 IN 3.

Purse \$100.  
Margaret O., brn, by Onward—Margaria, by Onward 1.  
Louise Jack, grg (McHenry) 2 2.  
Del Coronado, br (Duffee) 3 2.  
Sterling McKinney, brn (Geers) 4 4.  
Daniel, br (McDonald) 5 5.  
Clay Lyle, chh (O'Brien) 6 6.  
Chime Belle, brn (Tier) 7 7.

#### TIME.

Quarter Half quarters Mile  
First heat 1.34 1.34 1.34 2.04  
Second heat 1.34 1.34 1.34 2.03  
Third heat 1.34 1.34 1.34 2.03

#### 2.12 CLASS, PACING.

Purse \$100.  
Jerry B., chg, by Argot Wilkes—dam by Garland M. (Cox) 1 1.  
Charles Hall, br (Show) 4 2 3.  
Fred, chh (Morphy) 2 3 4.  
Dr. Bonney, br (Geers) 3 4 5.  
Baron Whips, ch (Coville) 3 4 5.  
Jim Daley, br (Clark) 5 6 6.  
Willie Walters, br (Hinkle) 7 7 7.

#### TIME.

Quarter Half quarters Mile  
First heat 1.34 1.34 1.34 2.04  
Second heat 1.34 1.34 1.34 2.03  
Third heat 1.34 1.34 1.34 2.03

#### A CONFERENCE.

##### MATTER OF COADJUTOR TO BISHOP OF MICHAUD DISCUSSED.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—A conference of the heads of the Catholic dioceses of New England to consider the selection of a coadjutor to Bishop Michael of the diocese of Burlington, Vt., who has been in poor health some time, was held in the cathedral rectory yesterday.

There were present Archbishop O'Connell of the archdiocese of Boston, Bishop Tierney of the diocese of Hartford, Bishop Harkins of the diocese of Providence, Bishop Beaven of the diocese of Springfield, Bishop Walsh of the diocese of Portland, Bishop Mitchell of the diocese of Burlington, Bishop Peck of the diocese of Fall River and Bishop Guertin of the diocese of Manchester.

The permanent rectors and consultants of the diocese of Burlington held a meeting in Burlington for the same purpose two months ago under the presidency of Archbishop O'Connell. Three names were then selected to send to Rome for consideration.

Following this first meeting it became necessary, according to church law in choosing a coadjutor, that the bishops of the province should pass upon the names, either approving those selected by the consultants and permanent rectors or adding three new names, or approving one or two of the originals and adding a new name or two, as the prelates might decide. It is not expected that the final selection will be made at Rome before at least two months.

#### SLASHED BARBER.

##### ROMALY THEN FLED FROM THE SHOP.

HOLYOKE, Aug. 21.—Tony Romaly, a barber in the employ of E. T. May, of 423 Dwight street, slashed the face of Tom Sulfin, a fellow barber, with a razor on Dwight street about 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Sulfin fell bleeding to the sidewalk and Romaly took to his heels, and at a late hour last night was believed to be in Springfield.

The cause for the slashing is unknown. The razor cut a bad gash across the entire right side of the face, severing several arteries. Fortunately, Dr. Teahan was nearby and the man would have bled to death. It took 20 stitches to close the cut.

Matty, who hired Sulfin, did not know his last name, this being the name given him, according to another Italian last evening. It was learned shortly after the cutting that a man answering Romaly's description boarded a car for Springfield, and a patrolman in a motor car attempted to catch the man but failed.

#### WATER WORKS.

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## AT ESSEX CLUB "JIMMY" BURNS

Wildier of Lowell Tied Proves That He's a Swimmer

MANCHESTER, Mass., Aug. 21.—Walter J. Travis and H. H. Wildier tied at 15 in the qualifying rounds at 35 holes at the Essex County club yesterday, making a very pretty competition for the gold medal, which will be continued in our next.

Wildier led by a stroke in the morning round, making 75 to Travis' 79, and when Wildier, who played early, returned an 80 in the afternoon, it was thought that Travis, who has a penchant for coming to the top in qualifying rounds, would take the prize.

Indeed, Travis seemed to have the gold medal already hitched to his watch chain when he started for the home hole. He needed only a five, which would have given him a 78 and a total of 157, just a stroke below the college golfer.

Travis made a fine long drive, and using one of his long clubs soaked a second shot away down the course and straight as a string, he needed only a marble stroke to reach the green, but for some unaccountable reason he put the ball into the bunker in front of the green. Travis had been a bit short with his approach shots throughout his afternoon round.

He played out of the bunker and got down in 6, leaving the disposition of the medal to the fate of a play-off.

Travis is good for better than two 75's on the Essex County links, and in the match play he will certainly make lower scores. He has a "glass arm," which may have affected his strokes, but he never really got going in the afternoon, and though he putted well, few of his long putts found the bottom of the cup, many fewer than usually is the case with his master of the art.

At the next hole, he used an iron from the tee, but he got it away so low and so fast that the ball ran on and on until it reached the brook, which few players are able to reach with a wooden club, from the teeing ground. It cost him a stroke.

Travis' hole a 15 foot putt at the ninth for a 3, but he missed what looked like an easy putt for a 3 at the 12th hole. He had played two raking shots to the 11th hole and had scored a 4, figures in which it is not often made, being 357 yards.

Wildier seemed to like the first nine holes better than the second nine, for in the morning he made the astonishing score of 77—a feat



## LOST HER MONEY SCHOOL ROMANCE

Poor Woman Robbed Has Ended in An Elopement of \$1500

MANSFIELD, Aug. 21.—Pickpockets operating either in the terminal station, Boston, or on a late afternoon train from Boston to Mansfield yesterday relieved Mrs. Samuel Cook, a woman of humble circumstances of this place, of \$1500 in money and two bank books. The money was part payment of an award by the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. company for the death of Edward Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cook, who was killed four years ago on the railroad. He was a fireman.

Mrs. Cook, her husband and their son Grover went to Boston yesterday and received the large sum at the office of a lawyer named Fuller. The family returned directly to the station, and while in the waiting room before the departure of the train Mrs. Cook says she took the \$1500 dollar bills from her bag rolled them up, covered them with a silk cloth, and then placed the package back in the bag.

She thought the money was safe, but when she arrived home she discovered that she carried an empty satchel. Mrs. Cook says she sat alone for nearly the entire trip to Mansfield. "My husband and son were in the smoker. No one was near me in the car," she said.

The disappearance of the money is considered mysterious by the family. They have no idea when the robbery was committed. The police and railroad authorities, upon being notified, began a search of the train and for suspicious characters, but had rounded up no clear last night. The Boston police are also at work on the case.

The loss caused Mrs. Cook great mental anguish, and it was with great difficulty that friends pacified her. Her husband was also made ill by the affair. One bank book was from a Newport, N. H., bank, and had deposits to the amount of \$50. The other was from the Boston Penny Savings bank, and showed deposits of about \$100.

### LIPTON CUP

WAS WON BY THE CHICAGO YACHT CLUB.

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—For the first time in the history of the trophy, Chicago Yacht club, sailing the Chicago, won the Lipton cup yesterday afternoon. The victory came as a result of the victory of the I. A. C. of the New Illinois Athletic club, with the Chicago of the Chicago Yacht club in second position. Chicago was built and sailed by A. G. Cuthbert of Chicago, and is the club's syndicate boat. The Chicago won the trophy on points, with two seconds and a fourth. Chicago's second yesterday gave her a total of 244.5 points for the series against 233.4 for Larita, II, owned by the New Illinois Athletic club. Spray was third with 200.1, and Cleveland fourth with 200.0.

### HEAVY FROST

WAS REPORTED ON MOUNT WASHINGTON.

THE MT. WASHINGTON, Bretton Woods, N. H., Aug. 21.—A dispatch from Tip Top House yesterday morning gives the temperature on the summit of Mt. Washington at 34 degrees. "Wind high all night," says the dispatch. "Not yet safe to venture out on rocks, which are covered on the windward side with frost feathers two to four inches long. Some young men arrived at 10 a. m. up through Tuckerman's ravine with frost on their hair, but there is no snow whatever. The frost is a far more unique phenomenon. Cloud barely covers summit, so that the sun occasionally makes everything glisten."

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 21.—A romance of high school days ended yesterday in the marriage of Miss Christine Lutticia Wyer and Ellsworth T. Rundlett, each 22 years old, at the residence of the Rev. Alexander Mitchell of this city, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The young people came from Portland, Me., and left their homes early yesterday morning.

The bride is the daughter of George A. Wyer, a wholesale fish dealer of Portland and Boston, who is considered one of the wealthy men of Portland. He is a member of the firm of Wyer & Trechton at 75 Commercial wharf, Boston. Their home is on West street, Portland. Mr. Wyer was at his place of business in Boston yesterday and late last evening knew nothing of the marriage.

Young Rundlett is a clerk for Burnham & Morrill, the largest cannery concern in Portland. His father, Fred T. Rundlett, is the manager of the department store of Brine Bros.

The young people are both graduates of the Portland high school and have been going together for several years, but that they had any idea of a runaway marriage was carefully kept from even their most intimate friends.

Miss Wyer has been summering with her family at Bridgton, Me. Early yesterday morning she returned to Portland and told her aunt, who was at home, that she was going to Prince's Point to spend the day with friends. She left her suit case at home, and her real intentions were not suspected.

Mr. Rundlett did not hear of the marriage until he was told last evening. He said that, so far as he knew, there had never been any objection to the match, and could not see why the young people had not waited.

### AT ST. JOHN'S

PREPARATORY COLLEGE AT DANVERS READY.

The second opening of St. John's Preparatory college of Danvers bids fair to establish a high mark in its history. Founded last year by the Xaverian Brothers, it was the hope of the originators to be able to start with a small enrollment, but so strongly has the project been received of preparing the Catholic youth of New England for college under the eye and direction of religion that applications were far to excess of expectations. With such a large number to choose from it was a very easy task to establish a high mark for qualifications.

The managers, under the direction of Bro. Benjamin, have spent a busy summer preparing for the opening on Sept. 10th.

A magnificent chapel, accommodating 400, a dining hall with a seating capacity of 300 and an athletic and baseball field built upon the style of the Polo grounds of New York are a few of the prominent features. The gymnasium opened last year has been completely fitted out with all kinds of apparatus.

The professors live and mingle with the student body constantly; interest themselves in their sport, frequently participating in their games, direct their studies, and strive by gaining their affection to make what is naturally irksome to the young light and pleasant.

The college can be reached from Boston, Lynn, Salem, Peabody, Lawrence, Lowell, etc., by the B. & M. railroad, stopping off at Ferncroft station, or by the electric-Lawrence & Salem car, or by the Middleton car from Salem stopping at Nichols street. A few minutes walk from the grounds. At Lawrence and Salem connections may be had with all surrounding towns.

## WOMAN'S LAWYER

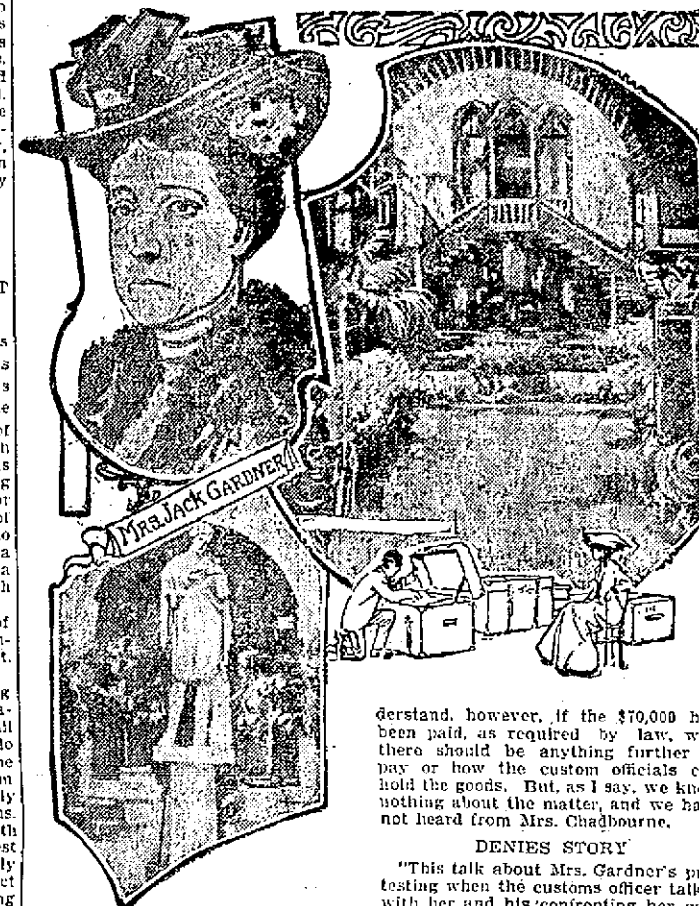
Says Mrs. Gardner is Innocent of Charges Made

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—That Mrs. John L. Gardner has paid no fines or penalties to the United States customs authorities for goods brought into this country by Mrs. Emily Crane Chadbourne of Chicago, and that the art treasures in question, while owned by Mrs. Gardner, were loaned by her to Mrs. Chadbourne, to be kept in Mrs. Chadbourne's London house to await her duties, and finally, that they were brought to this country without the consent or knowledge of Mrs. Gardner, were the three striking points in a long interview given yesterday by Henry W. Swift, trustee of the Isabella Stewart Gardner museum on the Fenway and legal adviser of Mrs. Gardner.

"Mrs. Gardner," he said, "told me the whole story, in so far as she knew it."

Mrs. Chadbourne is at the present time. "Of course, it was very foolish of Mrs. Chadbourne to bring these objects to this country and not give the full valuation of them. I imagine she regarded them, because of having had them in her own house in London for about two years, as in a sense her own household goods, and it is probable that she thought because of the fact they had been in her house that length of time she could legally bring them to this country as her own household property."

"Do you know that Mrs. Chadbourne has paid this \$70,000 on the goods?" "No. We know nothing about it. I know that Mrs. Gardner has not paid any money on the objects. I can't un-



derstand, however, if the \$70,000 has been paid, as required by law, why there should be anything further to pay or how the custom officials can hold the goods. But, as I say, we know nothing about the matter, and we have not heard from Mrs. Chadbourne.

### DENIES STORY

"This talk about Mrs. Gardner's protesting when the customs officer talked with her and his confronting her with the piece of registered tapestry, when she confessed, is all rot. When the customs officer called on Mrs. Gardner she told him just what I've told you. She explained the circumstances of Mrs. Chadbourne's being in possession of the objects, but disclaimed any knowledge of their having been brought to this country."

"I don't believe the objects are worth any \$50,000, as has been said. They are not worth probably more than \$50,000 or \$60,000 at the outside. I hope Mrs. Gardner will be able to get them, however. They are objects which she purchased in Europe at different times through a number of years. I believe she purchased a lot of them when she was in Europe a few years ago. I don't believe there is any armor nor any objects of vertu in the collection as has been stated. Of course we can't tell definitely anything about the matter until Mrs. Gardner hears from Mrs. Chadbourne."

### TAKE BRIDE AWAY

Back to Care of State Board

MIDDLEBORO, Aug. 21.—Edgar French, aged 25, and Ethel Packard, 16, were married last May at Taunton and have since been a fond and devoted couple. But yesterday their life of peace and contentment was rudely interrupted by a visitor of the state board of charity, whose action resulted in their separation and the forced return of the girl bride to the custody of the state board.

About six months ago the couple met at Reading, where both were employed. Their friendship progressed, and in May they decided upon marriage. A license was procured and they started out to find a clergyman who would perform the ceremony. They were unsuccessful in one place and another, till at last at Taunton, where French formerly lived, they secured Rev. Mr. White of the Methodist church to marry them. The bride's youth made it difficult to secure a clergyman to conduct the marriage ceremony.

In the intervening months they were employed together on a farm in this section, and on Wednesday they arrived at Andrew W. Miller's big country estate at Fall Brook, where they had secured positions, the young woman in the household, while her husband was to care for the cattle.

They were just comfortably located when a strange woman came to the house yesterday and after questioning the girl requested her to accompany her to Boston, and back to the state board's charge.

Reproach was made by the husband, but it was of no avail, and the girl went along, weeping bitterly.

Young French says he will at once start to get his wife back. He says a great injustice has been done them both by the separation. They were getting along well and their life was very happy.

French is well spoken of by people at Fall Brook, where he was employed on the Miller farm about a year ago.

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- 86 Suits that were \$15
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- 4 Suits that were \$20

There are Men's and Youths' Suits—coat-and-trousers and three piece suits—fancy mixtures and black and blue suits—single and double breasted suits—including many nearly complete lines and about every odd suit in the house.

In addition to the above, there are 50 odd coats and vests of blue serge and black undressed and clay worsteds in sacks and frocks that sold up to \$15, at \$7.50.

NOTE—As this low price is made for speedy and final selling, we must decline to reserve, send on memo, charge or exchange any suit in this sale.

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Soda Crackers with *crack* to them  
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**BURNED TO DEATH**

Six Children Perished at a Fire

COLFAX, Wash., Aug. 21.—Six children are dead and two others are burned so seriously that recovery is doubtful, at the H. W. Schultz ranch, between Colfax and Palouse, as the result of a fire that destroyed the home Wednesday night.

Four of the dead children were Schultzes. The other two were children of W. W. Fox, a brother-in-law. The men were away harvesting and the mothers were attending a theatrical performance. The two eldest Schultze girls attempted to rescue the children but lost the way to the door and were forced to drop the babies to make their own escape.

The cause of the fire is a mystery.

**WHAT CIDER WILL DO.**

If you are interested in cider, and there are doubtless moments when you are, if you will go up to Frank Jewett's cider mill, 734 Dutton street, Lowell, Mass., you will find the efficiency of his gas engine, he is likely to become so enthusiastic in regard to the merits of the engine, that he will ask you to try some of his number one cider. He did so with us and he also wrote the following:

Lowell, Aug. 15, '08.  
To Lowell Gas Light Co.

Gentlemen: We have a gas engine installed at our cider mill, 734 Dutton street, Lowell, Mass. We wish to say as to efficiency and economy, that it is a success beyond our expectations.

F. E. JEWETT.

**President Roosevelt**

can get a few pointers from the Famous Gems of Prose now running on the Editorial page of the Boston Globe. The best yet. See tomorrow's Globe.

**NOTICE!**

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7 1/4 in. x 28 1/2 in. ....	\$1.20	7 3/4 in. x 46 in. ....	\$1.55
8 in. x 36 in. ....	\$1.25	5 1/2 in. x 47 1/2 in. ....	\$1.85
7 1/2 in. x 34 1/2 in. ....	\$1.30	12 in. x 48 in. ....	\$2.00

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With our perfected X-Ray we are able to see through the body and see the diseased part. In this way all guesswork is done away with. All patients beginning treatment with us are entitled to this perfect examination and a month's treatment without a penny to pay.

**A FEW CURED PATIENTS**

Chas. E. Downie, 4 Wilford Ct., Westbury, N. Y. Cured of Asthma.  
Mrs. John Peters, Providence, R. I. Cured of Consumption.  
Mr. Joseph Sylvia, 4 Blinnes Ct., Taunton, Mass. Cured of Blindness.  
Helen C. Hackett, 270 Rhodes St., Providence, R. I. Cured of Catarrh and Consumption.  
Ashmore Cox, 20 Frank St., North Cambridge, Mass. Cured of Bronchial Catarrh like Consumption.  
John Arlens, 20 Morris St., Lynn, Mass. Cured of Consumption and Rheumatism.

Alfred Kamb, 18 Clark St., Cambridge, Mass. Cured of Catarrh.  
Mrs. John Malinsky, Bridgewater, Mass. Cured of Catarrh, Stone, Deafness, Ringing Noises and Catarrh of Stomach.  
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**THE LEGISLATURE**

Blamed for Spread of Crime

HAVERHILL, Aug. 21.—City Marshal Mack announced last night that he would not issue any more permits for the indiscriminate carrying of revolvers. He claims that the law allows householders or business men to have weapons to protect their houses or business, but he will not permit anybody to carry them on the streets. The aldermen last night appropriated \$350 to provide the members of the police force with regulation 38-caliber revolvers, and upon securing the weapons the marshal will have daily practice, as it has been found that many members of the police force are very poor shots.

Numerous applications for permission to carry revolvers were made to the marshal yesterday, following the assault on Mrs. Ryan of Norfolk street, where the desperado secured \$500 after assaulting the woman and ransacking the house. There was a big demand for revolvers yesterday and local dealers reported a sale of more than 300.

Mayor Wood in a statement issued last night, blamed the legislature for the wave of crime in this section of the state. He claims that the action of the legislature in granting policemen of this and other municipalities one day off in 36 impaired the several police forces. Haverhill policemen get 22 days off annually, and he says he cannot improve conditions on account of Haverhill's financial status.

Mayor Wood wants the legislature to pass a law to the effect that all purchasers of revolvers, pistols and guns must register and give the reason for their purchase.

**STAR THEATRE**

Dan Healey, the black-face comedian, is attracting a great deal of attention with his excellent singing and superior performance on the tambourine. His audience become enthusiastic and insistently call for encore after encore. Mr. Healey is a musical performer of the highest class and deserves a hearing from all vaudeville theatregoers. Frank Mills is making a lasting impression with his singing of the illustrated song "Childhood." "Rainbow," the latest and biggest hit is one of the prettiest if not the prettiest little song we have heard for many months and J. C. Bell is having great success singing it. The new program of moving pictures has won instant favor and come in for a huge share of applause. The theatre is more popular than ever with the ladies.

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**KIDNAPPED BOY**

14 Year Old Boy Lay Bound All Night

ST. ALBANS, Vt., Aug. 21.—Wednesday night about 8:30 o'clock, according to his story, 14-year-old Aaron Britch was sitting on the front steps of the house where he lives with Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Shingware when a man came by and asked the boy to come out, as he wished to see him. When the lad obeyed he was seized and taken to a team hitched near by. Threatening the boy with injury if he made an outcry the man drove toward Greens Corner. Several times the boy requested that he be allowed to return home, but was answered, "No."

At Greens Corner the man took the boy out, beat him hard and foot and left him on the station platform. All night he lay there, not daring to make outcry on account of the threats of the stranger. At daybreak he attracted the attention of R. A. Regan, farmer, near by, who untied him.

When the boy returned home he related his story, and the police were notified. He was taken to the station for his absence during the night, but Regan asserted that he found the boy tied and released him. Young Britch lives with B. H. Shingware, who took him home several years ago. The boy's father is said to be living, but his mother has not seen him for seven or eight years. He could not say whether the man was his father or not. He was unable to give a good description of the man.

**WIFE LEFT HOME**

SAID TO HAVE GONE WITH BROTHER-IN-LAW.

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—Finding domestic life with her husband, William F. Swank, 93 1/2 Grove street, Roxbury, too tame, Alice Swank decamped with Walter Swank, her husband's brother. She left her little daughter at a neighbor's home.

The elopement of the young wife, who was formerly Alice Campbell of Worcester, was the climax of a long series of family infidelities. She used to urge her husband to move to Worcester, but lately she began to become reconciled with Roxbury.

Last Monday when Swank returned from work he found his little home denuded. Everything but the heavier pieces of furniture was taken away. When he made inquiries he was astonished to learn that wife and brother had disappeared together. His little girl he found at the house of a neighbor, where the wife had left it. She had lifted it over the fence and ran away, paying no heed to the cries of the little girl.

Vowing vengeance on the brother who has wrecked his home, William is endeavoring to trace the missing pair.

**Two Months Ago**

We placed an order for 6000 waists to be delivered before Aug. 15.

We have just received the last 1200, and of course, last is always the best. Just compare them with any 98c waist everywhere and you'll realize what a bargain they are for. . . . 69c

Eight styles of all-over embroidered waists. Bring them back if they don't give satisfactory wear. Some big stores sell them for \$1.98, but our price is. . . . 97c

A small lot of fingerie and lace waists, formerly priced up to \$3.97, now reduced to. . . . \$2.50

Plaid gingham jumper suits. Earlier in the season we sold a similar style for \$4.50, but we never saw any in Lowell for. . . . \$1.97

Jumper suits and dresses. Many of them were \$2.97 and \$3.50, now reduced to. . . . \$1.50

Jumper suits and lawn dresses. All of them were \$1.97, some \$2.50, now. . . . \$1.25

Petticoats of good cambric, deep flounce of embroidery. Similar styles anywhere for \$1.98. White they 97c last. . . .

Seven styles of regular 25c and 29c corset covers, now. . . . 19c

This week will probably be the last for the 49c corset covers at. . . . 25c

Petticoats of light weight black bengaline moreen. Good 98c values, now. . . . 69c

**The White Store**  
114-Merrimack St.—116

Millinery at 1-3 to 1-2 of the Regular Prices

**The Bon Marche**

Take Advantage of the Following Prices

WOMEN'S SUITS AND SKIRTS	WOMEN'S FOOTWEAR
One Lot of Suits, odds and ends, fancy mixtures, nicely trimmed. Regular prices range up to \$10.00. Your choice. . . . \$3.98	Women's \$2.00 Oxfords for \$1.69. About one hundred pairs that remain from the different lines carried this season. Among the lot are Patent Leathers, Tan Calf, Brown and Black Kid and Gun Metal Calf. An excellent shoe, now for. . . . \$1.69 a pair
One Lot of Suits, all the newest styles and materials, the newest shades. Regularly \$15.98 to \$22.50. Your choice. . . . \$10.00	Women's Oxfords for \$1.49, the remainder of lines which sold for \$1.69 to \$1.97. Tans, Browns and Blacks among the lot. Now. . . . \$1.49 a pair
One Lot of Skirts in panama, black, brown, blue and gray, very full skirts. Regular prices \$6.98 to \$7.98. Your choice. . . . \$4.98	
Muslin, Lawn and Chambray Dresses All Cut Down to Half Price and Less.	

Every Hammock in Our Store at One-Half Price

Black Dress Goods	Children's Wear	UMBRELLAS
Special Values at Very Low Prices.	(SECOND FLOOR)	We carry a very large stock of Men's and Women's Umbrellas, all grades and all prices. We take special pride in mentioning three particular numbers, which we know to be exceptional values.
42-in. Mohair Chevron Stripe. Reg. price 75c. Sale price. . . . 49c yard	Bonnets, made of muslin with embroidered trimming and lace ruching. Reg. price 25c. Special price. . . . 19c	One Lot worth \$1.00 for 69c each
32-in. Sicilian Mohair, high finish. Reg. price 59c. Special price. . . . 49c yard	Bonnets, made of lawn trimmed with Val. lace and ribbon. Reg. price 50c. Special price. . . . 39c	One Lot worth \$1.30 for \$1.00 each
44-in. Shadow Check Velling, (French make). Reg. price \$1.00. Special price. . . . 85c yard	French Dresses, made of gingham and lawn. Reg. price \$1.25. Special price. . . . 79c	One Lot worth \$2.00 for \$1.49 each
42-in. Dotted Velling (Priestley's). This is an ideal fabric for middle-aged folks. Reg. price \$1.25. Special price. . . . 89c yard		
54-in. Panama, every fibre wool. Reg. price \$1.25. Special price \$1.00 yard	<b>Muslin Underwear</b> (SECOND FLOOR)	<b>STATIONERY</b> At Rock Bottom Prices.
	Corset Covers, made of cambric with all-over H. S. front, lace and ribbon trimmed. Reg. price 30c. Special price. . . . 19c	10c Box Stationery, 24 sheets, 24 envelopes. . . . 5c box
	Drawers, made of good material with low neck and short sleeves, hamburger trimmed. Reg. price 59c. Special price. . . . 49c	15c Box Stationery, 3 sizes. 10c box
	Long Skirts, made of good cambric with deep ruffle of tucks and insertion with lace edge. Reg. price \$1.25. Special price. . . . 98c	25c Box Stationery, 5 different styles. . . . 19c box
		1 lb. of Mercury Writing Paper, worth 30c, for. . . . 12 1/2c lb.

**HANDSOME SHIRT WAISTS AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES**

White Lawn Waists, made with tucked yoke with lace insertion and medallion and hamburger front, tucked back, 3-4 sleeves and lace trimmed collar and cuffs. Extra value for. . . . 98c	White Batiste Waists, made with square yoke of lace and medallion back and front, trimmed sleeves with collar and cuffs to match. Extra value for. . . . \$1.98
White Lawn Waists, made embroidered hamburger front, tucked back, 3/4 sleeves and tucked collar and cuffs, lace trimmed. Extra value for. . . . \$1.40	White Batiste Waists, made with fancy pointed lace yoke with medallion, trimmed back, 3-4 sleeves, lace collar and cuffs. Extra value. . . . \$2.98

**Try Ginger Poma With Ice Cream**

A SALE OF	A SALE OF
<b>Mercerized Corded Madras</b> (IN BASEMENT)	<b>PLAIN COLORED CREPE</b> (WASH GOODS DEPT.)
Creem, White and Light Blue colors. First quality, full pieces. Regular price 12 1/2c yard. Sale price. . . . 6 1/2c yard	Pink, Brown, Blue and Gray, in plain colors only, fine for kimono and dressing sacques. Regular price 12 1/2c yard. Sale price. . . . 8c yard

**BROKEN LOTS OF**

CURTAINS AND PORTIERES	RENAL SALE OF	RUCHINGS
To Close Out Before the Fall Stock Arrives.	<b>Reno Corsets</b>	Tourist Ruching with fancy colored edges, 6 yards in box. Reg. price 25c, special price 19c box
Single pairs of Curtains and half pair of portieres at exactly half price.	Special Sale of a Fine Batiste Corset, made in the season's newest model, long hip, medium high bust and four hose supporters. A regular \$1.00 value for. . . . 69c	Tourist Ruching with lace edge 25c box
Two, three and four pair lots from sixty to seventy-five cents on the dollar.	Rich, Pure Ice Cream, \$1 Gal.	Silk Ruchings, in white, cream, ceru, blue pink and black. 25c yard
These goods are all good quality and patterns and in perfect condition, but simply lots that we are closing out.		Washable Net and Val. Lace Edge in white, ceru and black. 25c yard
		Extra Wide Ruchings, 39c, 50c yard

**GENTS' FURNISHINGS**

Men's Negligee Shirts in new patterns, plain blue chambray with fancy silk embroidered panel down the front. Extra value for. . . . \$1.00	Men's Negligee Shirts in madras, chambray, gingham, etc., in all colors, with separate cuffs. Extra value for. . . . 48c
Neckwear, four-in-hand style, 2-inch reversible silk in newest shades including a full line of plain colors. Extra value for. . . . 50c	Men's Soiesette Shirts in light and dark champagne colors. Silk sewed seams and button gussets. Extra value for. . . . \$1.00
Men's Suspenders. Heavy Police web with double back of two inch web and solid calf ends. Extra value for. . . . 25c	

Boys' Belts, red and black. . . . 10c

Women's White Wash Belts. . . . 10c

Women's White Linen and Embroidered eBIts 25c

Women's White Linen Belts with colored embroidery; also Colored Linen Belts with white embroidery. Regular 50c belts. Now. . . . 25c

Women's Polka Dot Silk Belts, in colors with white dots. Regular 50c belts. Now. . . . 25c

Extra Quality Wash Belts for. . . . 50c

Extra Size Belts. . . . 29c and 59c

One Lot Striped Wash Belts with pearl buckles. Regular price 25c. Special price. . . . 10c











# 6 O'CLOCK AN ARMED POSSE Searching for Men Who Shot at Real Estate Man

WESTWOOD, Aug. 21.—Albert Dean, a prominent real estate owner of this town, aroused his neighbors and other persons in the vicinity about six a. m. today with the report that he had been shot at by two men, who he believed to be discharged employes, about an hour earlier. A large force armed with revolvers and shot guns, was once organized, and search of the nearby woods made, but up to 10 a. m., no trace of any suspicious characters had been discovered.

Mr. Dean is engaged in installing a water supply system by means of driven wells and lines of pipes to his own house and those of his neighbors. Among the men employed were two Italians but as both were not satisfactory he discharged them last Saturday. On leaving both men, Mr. Dean declared, acted in a threatening manner, and vowed vengeance.

This morning while passing along the road near his house he was startled by two shots being fired from behind a wall, and hearing bullets pass close to him. The shots came at about the same time from different parts of the wall which showed that two men were engaged in the affair. Mr. Dean hurried back to the house, but had some difficulty in getting together a searching party as it was quite early in the day. About a hundred men, including railroad and street railway employees gathered and under the direction of several police officers a search was begun. The band worked carefully through the woods in the vicinity, but at 10 a. m. had not been able to find any trace of any Italians.

It was the opinion of several of the officers, that the two men went directly to a nearby railroad station and boarded a train either for Boston or Providence.

## PURCHASE OF PARK APPROVED

NEWTON, Mass.—The Auburndale Improvement association, after a year's work, have succeeded in raising sufficient funds for purchasing the Nye estate in Auburndale for a public park. The city of Newton will contribute \$2400; Mrs. Nye has left \$2000; and the balance was raised by general subscription. The land is in the vicinity of the Boston and Albany railroad station.

## MILITARY RULE

## Came to An End in Springfield, Illinois, Today

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 21.—Military rule ceased in Springfield today, the militia forces being reduced to one regiment and the troops began to depart. The first cavalry broke camp at daylight, and the Seventh infantry patrols were withdrawn from the streets. Sheriff Werner had an increased force of deputies on duty and city police also was reinforced by a few special policemen. Except for the closed saloons and the ruined homes and business houses in some of the streets there was nothing to indicate that a week ago the city had been in the hands of an uncontrolled mob.

The early morning hours were practically without incident. One case of shooting was reported from the northeast section of the city, a sentry asserting that someone had discharged a double-barreled shot gun in his direction. The "shatter cavalry" was sent from the jail headquarters but no trace of marauders was found. The promiscuous shooting has practically ceased since the troops began to depart, the absence of the numerous patrols and sentries having seemingly eliminated the incentive to cause excitement by the firing of guns and revolvers.

Rolla Keys, the boy witness against the alleged assailant of Mrs. Mabel Hallam, who was shot accidentally by a companion yesterday was in a satisfactory condition according to early reports from the hospital today. No announcement has yet been made as to when the Seventh infantry will be ordered home.

Its departure will depend upon the ability of the police and sheriff's forces to prevent further trouble. The grand jury resumed its investigations today. It is understood that further charges against Abraham Raynor, who was made the subject of six indictments were being considered. Raynor now stands formally accused of murder, malicious mischief and riot. The indictments except one charging murder, are all based upon his alleged actions while the mob was destroying Loper's restaurant Friday last. The murder charge alleges that he took part in the lynching of William Donigan on the succeeding night. The authorities claim to have evidence that he was also a ring-leader in the raids upon the "black belt."

Kate Howard, who was indicted for malicious mischief and riot in four forms was arrested on a bench warrant last night. Her bail has been fixed at \$10,000.

Loper was a witness before the coroner's jury last night at the inquest into the death of Louis Johnson who was found dead in the basement of the restaurant. It developed that no autopsy had been held on the body and none of the physicians who had viewed the body ventured a positive opinion as to the cause of death. The possibility that the boy was killed by falling into the basement and breaking his neck may cause an exhumation of the corpse.

TEN INDICTMENTS  
AGAINST TWO ALLEGED MOB LEADERS.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Aug. 21.—Ten indictments against two of the alleged

mob leaders were returned yesterday by a special grand jury. Six are against Abraham Raynor and four are against Kate Howard. Raynor is charged with murder, four cases of malicious mischief and one of riot. The charges against Mrs. Howard are for malicious mischief and are identical with those against Raynor on these counts.

The murder charge against Raynor is based on his alleged participation in the lynching of William Donigan, a negro, 80 years old. Considerable evidence upon which this was voted, was procured by a military court of inquiry which yesterday turned over to the state attorney the result of its investigation.

"We procured enough evidence to indict forty or fifty participants in last week's rioting," said Col. Chipperfield last night.

"We have a complete confession from Raynor and we have also discovered convincing evidence of arson on the part of a former police officer of Springfield."

There was some excitement last night over a report that Rolla Keys, 17 years old, who testified before the special grand jury which indicted George Richardson for an alleged assault on Miss Mabel Hallam, had been shot by friends of the accused negro. It was learned, however, that the shooting was accidental, the bullet having come from a revolver belonging to a companion of Keys. The boy may not recover.

Because of the excitement caused by the first reports of the accident, extra precautions were taken by Colonel Moriarity and Foreman, in command of the two military sections of the city, to prevent the gathering of crowds. The members of the patrols were also instructed to spread the true version of the accident and to arrest any person counselling violence to negroes.

The occurrence caused fresh fears in the "black belt" and the aerial last night again was crowded with refugees and there was also a large number of negroes who slept under the protection of a guard from the 7th regiment at Camp Lincoln.

Tyler has a previous police record. In 1893, with another name, he was arrested, charged with an attempt to break into a local liquor saloon and was taken to the Newburyport jail to await the action of the grand jury. Tyler and his companion attempted to escape in which effort he assaulted jailer Ayer's son, inflicting severe injuries upon him. He was recaptured and for his escapade was sent to state prison.

DEATHS

LANE—The many relatives and friends of Mr. and Mrs. James Lane will be pained to learn of the death of their beloved son, Thomas Patrick, who died this morning at the home of his parents, 65 St. James street, aged 2 years 1 month.

NICHOLS—Elijah M. Nichols died Wednesday night at his late home, 712 Suffolk street, aged 55 years. He is survived by a wife and three children.

PERRY—James Perry, aged seven months, died yesterday afternoon at the home of his parents, Albert and Georgiana Perry, of 2 rear 457 Gorham street.

## FIFTY YEARS AGO

## Lincoln and Douglass Had Their Historic Debate

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—The semi-centennial of the great debate between Abraham Lincoln and Stephen A. Douglass was celebrated at Ottawa, Ill., today, on the spot where the "great emancipator" and the "little giant" stood during their argument 50 years ago. A monument marking the spot in Washington park was unveiled by Illinois chapter, Daughters of the Revolution.

A 24-ton boulder has been brought from the farm of Moab Trumbo and placed on a concrete base in the park. On the face of the boulder a tablet bears the following inscription:

"This boulder marks the site of the first Lincoln and Douglass debate, held August 21, 1858. Erected by the Illinois chapter, Daughters of the Revolution, Ottawa, Ill., Aug. 21, 1908."

The celebration was directed by the LaSalle county Historical association. The unveiling ceremonies were arranged under the auspices of the Daughters of the Revolution who gathered the funds for the installation of the monument.

## TRIUMPHAL ENTRY

## Australia's Public Welcome to Men of American Fleet

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 21.—Sydney was aglow with life and color yesterday, and surging thousands filled the streets as never before, for this was the day set for the official landing and for Australia to welcome publicly the bone and sinew of the visiting fleet, officers and men. No more triumphal entry of gallant vessels into port was ever witnessed than that of Wednesday when the warships pushed through the haze of the sea, and steamed majestically past the headlands, crowded with a cheering multitude. Today Australians had an opportunity to see the men who brought the ships in safety thus far on their voyage around the world.

From Farm Cove, where the landing occurred, throughout the lengthy line of march, the crowds gave enthusiastic evidence of a hearty welcome. Large bodies of men from all the ships were brought ashore in the morning in launches. They numbered close to 3000. In sections they marched to the outer domain, which adjoins the botanical gardens and formed up on allotted spaces fronting the reception pavilion. Then came the admirals and their staffs, who landed ashore on the east side of the cove, where a guard of honor from the British naval force was drawn up. They were met by the prime minister, Alfred Deakin, and the other ministers of the commonwealth, the premier of New South Wales and his ministers, the lord mayor of Sydney and members of the corporation.

Rear Admiral Sperry, commander of the fleet, inspected the naval guard and then with the others was driven to the reception pavilion in the domain, where he was greeted by Lord Northcote, governor general of Australia; Sir Harry Rawson, the governor of New South Wales, and the military and naval heads of the colony.

The scene was a brilliant and picturesque one. The grand pavilion was surmounted by a great golden eagle, glittering in the sunlight, and the curved balustrades were inscribed with the names of the American states. The stands surrounding the pavilion seemed almost buried with flags, bunting and evergreens. These were occupied by the federal and state ministers, the members of the various branches of the legislature, and government officials, many of whom were accompanied by ladies, whose gay costumes furnished vivid patches of color. Beyond the enclosure, masses of spectators grouped beneath widespread trees, and glimpses could be had of the harbor in the distance, with the battleships strikingly white against the blue of the water and sky. The brilliant uniforms of the guard of honor from the Royal Australian artillery contrasted strongly with the plain colors worn by the Americans.

Lord Northcote extended the heartiest of welcomes to Admiral Sperry, his officers and men, and congratulated them warmly on the success of the voyage.

After greetings had been exchanged a procession was formed. The lord mayor and officials and the American admirals with their staffs occupying carriages. Twenty-five hundred men from the fleet took part in the procession. They carried arms but no ammunition, in accordance with an arrangement which was made the night before.

A hitch occurred in the original arrangements, when, soon after the arrival of the Americans at this port, it was learned by Admiral Sperry that owing to the Imperial regulations, the landing of armed men in Australia would be barred. Admiral Sperry immediately notified the government that unless his men were permitted to carry arms they would take part in no parade. An amicable agreement was reached on this point, however, without difficulty, the commonwealth government granting permission for the American sailors and marines to carry arms but no ammunition.

The detachments from the various ships were headed by color-bearers and accompanied by the ships' bands. Their marching was commented upon with admiration, and they were cheered on every hand. All the streets along the route were profusely decorated and lined with federal troops and police.

On their return to the domain the visitors were entertained at lunch.

The whole city turned out to do them honor, and the greatest enthusiasm prevailed.

## HISGEN'S TOUR

ONE OF THE LONGEST UNDERTAKEN BY ANY CANDIDATE.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 21.—Although all the details of the arrangements for the tour of the country by Thomas L. Hisgen, of this city, the independence league candidate for president, have not been definitely decided upon as yet, the tentative outlines of his trip indicate that it will be one of the longest and most extensive ever undertaken by any candidate for public office. It is proposed to have Mr. Hisgen cover the country from the Pacific coast to Georgia in addition to an active campaign in the principal eastern states.

Mr. Hisgen's speech at Piney Ridge, Conn., last night marked the beginning of a trip which will gradually take him through most of the New England states, before leaving for Indianapolis next Thursday. Tomorrow he opens the independence league campaign in Rhode Island, when he speaks at a field day gathering near Providence, and on Monday he plans to speak at several places in Vermont and tour that state until Thursday.

AT NEWPORT

RANKED PLAYERS PAIRED IN TENNIS MATCH

NEWPORT, R. I., Aug. 21.—There were a number of ranked players paired in the all-comers tournament for the national tennis championship at the Casino today, but the committee featured the match between William J. Clothier of Philadelphia and J. J. Ames of Providence, who was played on the championship court.

The tournament today reached the fifth round through the excellent work of the committee yesterday in running off the matches, more than a score being played during the day. The committee in charge of the tournament has been materially assisted in handling the unusually large number of entries thus far by the many defaults, 38 being recorded in the first and second rounds. Nearly all of those who failed to show up are players seldom seen in leading tournaments.

It was the hope of the committee to reach the semi-finals of the tournament on Saturday or Monday, and the final and championship matches on Tuesday or Wednesday of next week.

The players again were favored with excellent weather today, it being cooler even than yesterday, while the casino courts also continued in excellent shape.

## LOTS OF HERRING

Great Supply Landed by Fisherman

LYNN, Mass., Aug. 21.—The fishermen of Nahant, Salem, Beverly, and other points on this part of the coast, continue to gather a harvest of herring and other fish which are more plentiful off shore than for many years. The unusually large number of the fish and the fact that most of the fish are of a larger size than are to be found in these waters generally, have prompted the natives at a loss for the reason of the influx.

The large numbers of the fish have been allowed to lay upon the beaches and flats of the harbor and rivers, where they have become a great nuisance and a serious menace to health. The wide extent of these conditions has prompted action by the boards of health in most of the cities and towns, and owners of shore property have been warned to clean up their beaches.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

## FUNERALS

BAKER—The funeral of Agnes Baker, daughter of Frank and Valerie, was held yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 31 Chestnut street, and burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery.

FAHEY—The funeral of Annie Fahey took place yesterday afternoon from the home of her parents, 5 Cross street, and burial was in the Catholic cemetery. Undertaker Savage had charge.

PEARSON—The funeral of Miss Henrietta Pearson took place from her home, 51 South Whipple street, Thursday afternoon, and was largely attended. There were many beautiful floral offerings. Services were conducted by Rev. N. W. Matthews, pastor of the Gotham street Methodist church.

Mrs. John Millman, Mr. Richard Potter and Mr. N. W. Matthews, Jr., sang "Some Time Well Understand," "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "The Christian's Good Night." The bearers were William Ashcraft, Joseph Greenworth, William Park and John Howard. Mr. Howard had charge of the arrangements. The burial was in the family lot in the Edison cemetery under the direction of Undertakers J. B. Currier & Co.

McKINNON—The funeral of Robert J. McKinnon took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 16 East Merrimack street and was largely attended. The floral tributes were as follows: A pillow from his parents; pillow, Mrs. Hughes and family; spray, Mr. and Mrs. Green; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. T. Butters; spray, Mr. E. Doyle; spray, Mrs. Robert Ganley and family; pillow, Miss Viola McKinnon, Cambridge; spray, Mrs. and Mrs. Gus Ambrose; spray, Mrs. Diegle; spray, Mr. James Kitchen. The bearers were Robbie Ganley, John Ganley, Willie Pollard and Geo. Hammett. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, Undertaker Peter Davey in charge.

MURPHY—The funeral of Thomas Murphy took place this morning at 9 o'clock, from his late home, 92 South street, and was largely attended. The cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church, where at 9:45 a solemn mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. McDermott. The choir under the direction of Mr. P. P. Haggerty, sang the Gregorian mass. At the offertory, Mr. P. P. Haggerty sang "Pie Jesu" and at the conclusion of mass, James E. Donnelly sang "Kiss Me, Jesus." As the remains were borne from the church the choir rendered "De Profundis." Mrs. McKennedy presided at the organ. Among the floral tributes was a large pillow inscribed "Father," from the sons of deceased; spray of plums, Daughters of Veterans, Tent 23, and sprays from the comrades.

The bearers were John Patton, Martin Talley, Thomas Talley, John Murray, James Cox and Thomas O'Laughlin. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, where Rev. Fr. McDermott read the committal prayers and interment was under the direction of Undertakers J. H. McDonough & Sons.

MELLEN—The funeral of the late John B. Mellen took place this morning from his late home, 167 Warren street, and was largely attended. The funeral cortege proceeded to St. Peter's church where at 9 o'clock requiem mass was sung by Rev. Fr. Mullen. The choir, under the direction of Prof. Haggerty, rendered the Gregorian plain chant. At the offertory Prof. Haggerty sang "O Salutaris." At the conclusion of mass James E. Donnelly sang "He Wipes a Tear From Every Eye." As the body was leaving the church the choir sang "De Profundis." The bearers were Messrs. Joseph Devine, William May, Joseph Carroll, Charles Sullivan, Frank Carr, Al. Mellen, Harry Toomey and Edward O'Hair.

Interment was in the Catholic cemetery, Fr. Mullen officiating at the grave. The interment was in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

Among the floral tributes laid upon the grave were the following: Pillow from his parents and Sister Katie; large pillow inscribed "Brother," Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Mellen; spray of 23 roses, Frank and Charles Mellen, nephews of deceased; large standing cross inscribed "Johnnie," from Miss Margaret Rourke; crescent and star on base inscribed "Johnnie," Mr. and Mrs. P. Dowd; large wreath, Mr. and Mrs. James Kilvan; wreath on base, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Callahan and family; standing wreath on base, surmounted by dove with olive branch, inscribed "Rest in Peace," friends at 45 Arlington hotel; wreath, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Conley; sprays, Mrs. P. Banks, Mr. and Mrs. John Banks, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Harkins, Miss Lizzie Kennedy, Miss Minnie Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. George Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Sullivan, Mr. and Mrs. David Halloran, Miss Mary A. Nawn, John Trainor; night blooming axils, Mr. Fred Rogers. The grave was lined with hemlocks and asters and the sisters of the deceased, Mrs. George Nawn and Mrs. Martin Conley.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

PRATT—Anna F. Pratt, died Aug. 12 at Standish, Me., aged 84 years. Funeral will take place on Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of W. O. Wing, 229 Stevens street. Friends invited. Funeral in charge of J. A. Weinbeck.

NICHOLS—Died in this city, Aug. 20, Elijah Nichols, aged 65 years. Funeral will be held from his residence, 712 Suffolk street, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends invited. Burial private, in charge of Undertaker G. W. Healey.

LANE—The funeral of Thomas Patrick Lane will take place from the home of his parents, 65 St. James street, tomorrow at 2 o'clock and 2:30 o'clock and burial in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertaker John A. Finnegan.

SMITH—The funeral of Miss Annie Smith will take place from her late home, 12 West Sixth street, tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock. Mass of requiem at St. Michael's church at 4 o'clock. Funeral in charge of Undertaker Peter H. Savage.

CONLEY—Dorothy Conley, infant daughter of Walter and Forest, died this morning at the home of the parents, 14 Lawrence street. Funeral tomorrow morning at 2:30 o'clock from the home of J. F. O'Donnell & Sons, undertakers.

## GOT CIGARS

THE HEAVIEST AND LIGHTEST MEN IN THE PARADE.

The heaviest man in yesterday's parade was J. S. Stevens of Haverhill who weighs 316 pounds, while the lightest man was Mr. Harrington of 127 West River. For a record a box of Boston Terriers from J. H. Buckley.

## SHOT TO DEATH

## Terrible Vengeance Wrought on a Jewish Family

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—News has reached this city of a terrible vengeance taken by the revolutionists of Yurievka, in Yekaterinofslav province, upon a Jewish family named Edelstein who were accused of giving information to the authorities regarding the activities of the agitators. They visited the Edelstein house at night and threw two bombs through the window. Then then shot to death the father, a daughter, a woman guest and her child. The mother, a son, a son-in-law, and two grandsons were severely wounded.

The revolutionists temporarily retired and help for the wounded was summoned. In the course of a couple of hours the victims who were still alive had been conveyed to a hospital. Not satisfied with their vengeance the revolutionists, now a well armed band of about 40 or 50 men, descended upon the hospital, overpowered the nurses and guards, and shot the mother and son to death, after which they escaped. Another despatch from the provinces received here says that the prisoners in the jail at Saratov, upon discovering that two of their comrades were traitors, beat them to death.

## AMERICAN NAVY

## Is a Menace to No Power Says Pres. Roosevelt

OYSTER BAY, N. Y., Aug. 21.—Upon the arrival of the American fleet at Sydney, New South Wales, the president received through the British charge d'affaires the following telegram from the governor general and government of the commonwealth of Australia:

"Australians, hundreds of thousands of whom are gathered on the shores of Sydney harbor to welcome the battleship fleet of the United States at this moment entering the eastern gateway of this continent, unite in cordial greetings to President Roosevelt. The people of the commonwealth gratefully appreciate the generous response to their invitation by the president and citizens for the great republic and rejoice in the opportunity afforded by this demonstration of the might of the American naval power to express their sincere admiration of your sailors and their esteem and affection for the country whose glorious flag they hope to see always floating beside that of their motherland."

When Secretary Foster returned from a night visit to the president at an early

hour this morning the president sent this telegram in response:

"Oyster Bay, N. Y., Aug. 21, 1908. The British charge d'affaires, Manchester, Mass.

"Thru you I have just received the cordial and kindly message from the governor general and government of the commonwealth of Australia and I desire to express in my turn to the governor general and government of the nation to the entire people of the mighty commonwealth of Australia the appreciation which the American people feel for their generous hospitality to the American fleet. The people of this republic hold in peculiar esteem and admiration the people of Australia and it was a very real pleasure for me on behalf of the nation to accept the generous hospitality proffered by Australia to the fleet on its voyage of peace, for the American navy is a menace to no power, but is, on the contrary, as we believe, an asset of high importance in securing the peace of justice throughout the world."

—Theodore Roosevelt.

## \$600,000 LOSS FIRE IS RAGING

## Is Caused Each Day by Fire Surveyor's Party had a Narrow Escape

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—"The match and the mouse," "cross electric wires," and "spontaneous combustion," and other causes of mysterious fires were placed under the spotlight yesterday by Chief J. R. Canterbury of Minneapolis, at the convention of the National Firemen's association in session here.

"We are burning up property at the rate of \$600,000 worth a day," said the chief. "Why do so many fires start? Is it carelessness, culpable negligence or accidents? The nature of the business and the insurance policy usually tell the story, not perhaps so that it can be given to the public, but in such a way that the men who honestly investigate can tell the why and wherefore. Over insurance is one of the crimes of the century. The agent is honest but he must make a living. He does not know what he insures and does not care so long as the premiums are paid. The lure of money and our present day civilization have intensified the commercial struggle to such an extent that some men will not stop at anything to help themselves along. This is not a charitable view, but our experience, selecting fires, for which nice and hemlocks and asters and the sisters of the deceased, Mrs. George Nawn and Mrs. Martin Conley.

## THE UNDERWRITERS

ELECTED OFFICERS OF THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 21.—Officers of the National Association of Life Underwriters were elected yesterday. Charles Jerome Edwards of New York was re-elected president. Among the other officers elected were: William Tolman, Bridgeport, Conn., second vice president; Wm. A. Waite, Detroit, secretary; re-elected. Wm. Moody, of Pittsburgh was chosen vice president, but withdrew as it is customary to have Louisville, Ky., was selected as the place for holding the next convention, the time to be determined by the executive committee.

## LARGE INCREASE

IN CAPITAL OF UNION OIL COMPANY.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Aug. 21.—At their meeting yesterday the Union Oil company directors took the final steps to increase the company's capitalization from \$10,000,000 to \$50,000,000. The action was authorized at a shareholders' meeting.

The regular special dividend was declared, payable Sept. 20. The directors declared a dividend of two dollars per share, payable out of surplus earnings. The regular monthly dividend of 30 cents a share was also declared.

## HOTEL BURNED

Many Guests Lost Their Effects

SONORA, Cal., Aug. 21.—The forest fire which is raging in the Hetchey-Hetchey valley continues unabated, according to reports received here last night. The fire is sweeping north and already great damage has been done. A number of houses have been destroyed and numerous head of cattle have perished.

The flames are now raging in the reserve timber tract of the West Lumber camp. A surveyor's party from San Francisco, headed by E. J. Jones, is reported to have had a narrow escape.

Major Benson, superintendent of the national park at Yosemite with forty-two soldiers as well as several hundred men are fighting the flames. It is hoped by the fire authorities to check the fire at Lake Eleanor.

## FRENCH CLERGY

To Supply Capital for Bank

MEXICO CITY, Aug. 21.—Capital for the establishment of the proposed discount bank, it is reported in financial circles, will be supplied by the French clergy. The statement was made today that a remittance of fifty million francs as a subscription to the capital stock of the institution would be made before Oct. 15.

The subscription of fifty million francs by the French clergy, together with the \$5,000,000 which it has been stated will be made by the chartered banks of Mexico, will give the discount bank a capital of \$55,000,000 instead of \$10,000,000 with which it was possible to begin the institution. On account of the hostile attitude of the French government, it is said, the French clergy have decided to withdraw a quickly as possible all their investments in France and to place a large portion of the amount in Mexico.



# LATEST THE ELKINS ACT

## U. S. Government Trying to Save the Measure

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—The government's petition for a re-hearing by the United States court of appeals of the case against the Standard Oil company of Indiana was filed today and represents, it is authoritatively stated, the administration's attempt to save the Elkins act and the interstate commerce law from becoming futile.

The filing of the petition marked the appearance of Attorney General Bonaparte in the case as well as that of Frank B. Kellogg, who is a special assistant to the general attorney. Besides these two names the petition is signed by Edwin W. Sims, United States district attorney at Chicago, and Special Assistant James H. Wilkerson, both of whom presented the government's side of the case in the original hearing before Judge Landis who administered the famous fine of \$25,000 against the defendant.

Although it is not specifically stated in the petition, it was agreed by counsel for the government in their conference at Lenox, Mass., following the reversal by the appellate court of Judge Landis' decision that if the interpretation of the law given by Judge Grosceup, Seaman and Baker were allowed to stand, successful prosecution of rebate cases against corporations would be impossible in the future. The lawyers at that conference over which the attorney general of the United States presided, were a unit in expressing the opinion that the reforms in rebate matters brought about by

the Roosevelt administration would represent so much waste of time unless the upper court can be convinced that it is in error in its construction of the law.

"On but a single point involved in the trial up to the return of the verdict of guilty," says the petition, "are the rulings of trial court criticised by the court of appeals. In all other particulars, his rulings are sustained. The point on which the trial judge is reversed by the court of appeals relates to his ruling on evidence and his charge to the jury with reference to ignorance on the part of the Standard Oil company of the lawful rate as a defense. The court of appeals in its opinion has not correctly stated how the judge ruled this subject."

Continuing the petition declares that whereas the opinion of the court of appeals states that Judge Landis refused to admit evidence to the effect that the Standard Oil company did not know what the lawful rate was, the record of proceedings in the lower court shows that such evidence was admitted.

Although the government points out what it considers other errors in the opinion of the appellate court, the allegation that the Standard Oil company did not know it was not paying the legal rate is regarded as the vital point. If with the evidence introduced at the trial before Judge Landis it can be held that the defendant did not have guilty knowledge of its own acts, then successful prosecution of similar cases is regarded as impossible.

## LAND PURCHASE COMPLETES SYSTEM

RACINE, Wis.—The appropriation by the council of \$15,000 for park purposes guarantees the immediate completion of the present park system, the purchase of the Erskine woods, the purchase of the Cape property on the north beach and the immediate establishment thereon of bath houses sufficient for all the needs of the city. The appropriation is a part payment on a total of approximately \$5,000. The erection of the bath houses on the north beach will be taken care of by private subscription.

## THE LUSITANIA THE GRANGERS

Big Cunarder Made Sensational Run Want Governor Hughes Renominated

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—The Cunard liner Lusitania finished a sensational run across the Atlantic at 9.30 o'clock last night and when the official figures for the trip became available after the liner had anchored outside the harbor for the night, it developed that the big turbine had not only lowered all records for the trans-Atlantic voyage by nearly four hours, but that she had also broken three other records.

The official timing of the Lusitania placed her off Daunt's Rock at 11.30 o'clock last Sunday. Steaming abreast of the lights at 9.30 last night, she had made the passage in just 4 days and 15 hours. The best previous record made by her on November 8 last was 4 days, 18 hours and 40 minutes, her new performance lowering the previous mark by 3 hours and 40 minutes.

On the whole trip of 2781 miles, the Lusitania made an average speed of 25.05 knots an hour, a new record, the previous one being 23.01 made by her on her record trip last November. The third record broken is that for the greatest day's run—550 knots up to noon on the 17th—on which run she also set a new pace in steaming an average of 25.66 knots for the 24 hours.

SALAMANCA, N. Y., Aug. 21.—That the grangers of the state are in favor of the renomination of Gov. Hughes is the opinion of F. M. Godfrey, master of the State Grange. "Mr. Godfrey has written the following statement for publication:

"I have had a pretty good opportunity to learn the sentiment of the people throughout the state, having attended over 20 meetings in about 20 different counties.

"I find that a very large proportion of the people I have talked with many democrats who say they will vote for Hughes if he is nominated and I have met republicans who say they will not support the republican ticket if Hughes is not nominated.

"It looks to me as though Gov. Hughes could carry with him a larger vote for the national ticket than any other man in the state. I am satisfied that Gov. Hughes should be the nominee of the republican party for governor and that he would carry with him a victory for the national ticket in this state."

## LAKEVIEW THEATRE

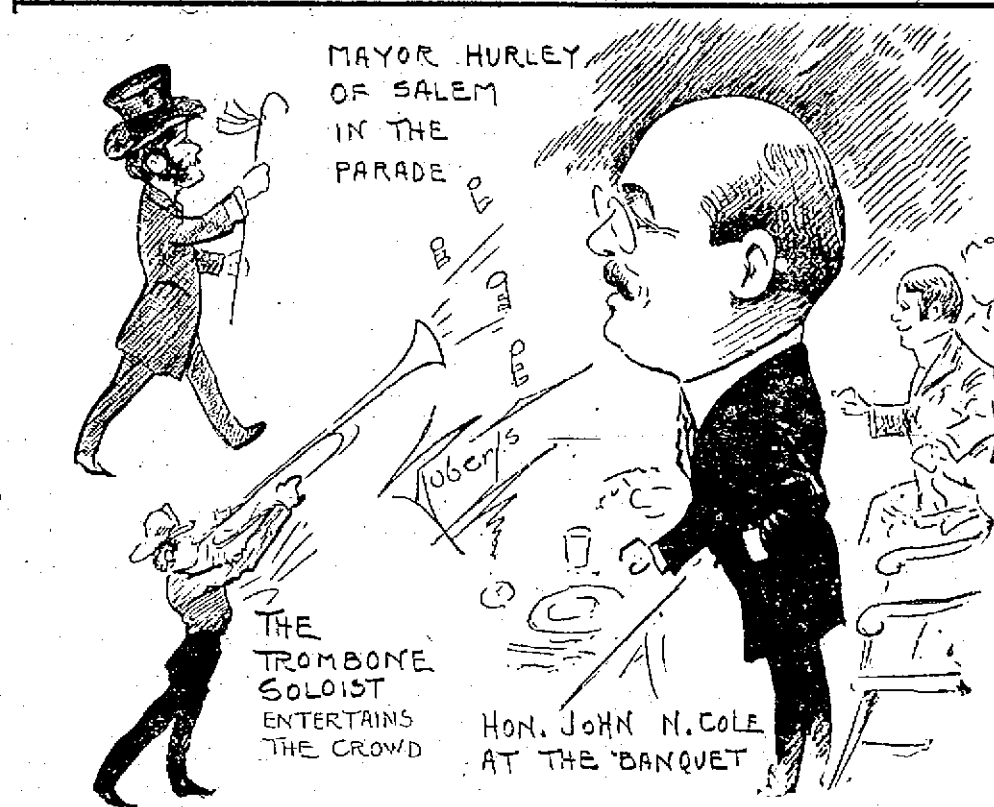
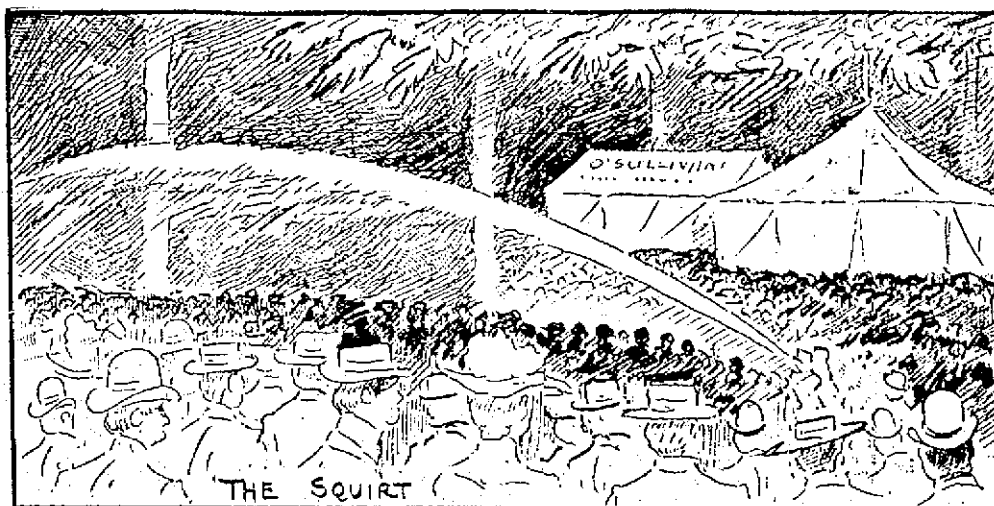
Although last week, in point of patronage, was the best week the Adam Good company has ever had at Lakeview theatre, either this summer or last, the indications are that with the two big dramatic successes it is offering this week they will break the record. Next week the same policy of offering two high class plays in one week will be continued. For the first time "The Two Orphans" will be the attraction with Miss Pingree in the role of "Louise." There have been many versions of this popular play offered to the public, but there is one version that stands alone, and that is the one in which Kate Claxton starred for many years. This version is the one used by the Adam Good company, by special arrangement with Miss Claxton, and patrons of Lakeview next week who witness the performances of "The Two Orphans" will enjoy a first class production. For the last half of the week, the company presents the powerful drama "The Under-tow," which is rightly termed a drama of politics and graft. It is the work of Eugene Walter, author of "Paid in Full" and "The Wolf," both of which were the biggest dramatic successes of the year last season in New York, and are still playing there to capacity houses. It exposes in a ruthless manner the methods of dishonest politicians and municipal graft, hands the "ring" a few hard knocks, and no taxpayer, no citizen who has the best interest of his town or city at heart, no municipal office holder or member of a city government, but what will find in this vital drama a few truths that will hit home.

The Middlesex and Wanderers of the Lowell and Suburban league will play at Middlesex Village tomorrow afternoon.

SITUATION WANTED—A middle aged woman would like a position as housekeeper for a widower. A place in the country desired. Apply to Fay's court off Willie st.

# WINDUP OF MUSTER

## Banquet to Firemen and Others at Associate Hall



MUSTER SKETCHES.

## Fine Entertainment With Addresses by Hon. John N. Cole, Mayor Farnham, Col. Carmichael, Humphrey O'Sullivan and Others—The Event a Great Success

The festivities of Muster day were appropriately closed with a banquet given by Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan to 300 guests, in Associate hall last evening. With Mr. O'Sullivan as host it is unnecessary to state that the banquet was of that same lavish nature which characterized the entire event. The Page-Evans combination catered, the Lowell Cadet band furnished instrumental music and the 20th Century Bachelor club, which includes the cream of Lowell's male singers, gave a delightful minstrel first part between the courses. For post-prandial exercises there was Prof. Hugh J. Molloy of the Normal school as toastmaster and such noted speakers as Hon. John N. Cole and Joe M. Chapple, editor of the National magazine, and several others well known locally.

Mr. O'Sullivan, the host, was cheered and congratulated on all sides and when called upon for a speech responded most gracefully expressing his thanks to all who assisted in making the day a success and emphasizing the fact that a veteran firemen's organization such as the Butler Vets was a valuable asset to any city. Before the festivities concluded President Randall of the New England Veteran Firemen's league asked permission to say a few words and expressed the sincere thanks of the association to Mr. O'Sullivan and the Butlers for their hospitality, courtesy and for making the affair the greatest firemen's muster in history. He stated that the name of "Lowell" would long be remembered with keen delight by every veteran fireman who had attended.

The banquet was called at 8.30, at which hour Mr. O'Sullivan and his guests marched to the tables to the music of the Cadet band, which occupied a place in the gallery. A curtain

drawn across the stage indicated that there would be something doing behind it in a short time.

When all had seated a menu consisting of tomato soup with bread sticks, filet of beef with mushrooms, cold turkey, lobster salad, sultana rolls, coffee and cigars was enjoyed. Shortly after the guests had become seated Prof. Dick Noonan appeared upon the scene and proceeded to tickle the ivories. Then from behind the curtain came a pleasing chorus and when the veil was removed the 20th Century Bachelor club stood in a semi-circle before the guests, with Charlie Slattery in the centre as interlocutor, the singers arrayed in white negligee shirts and dark trousers and the end men in a more about Humphrey and George Fred Williams at Lincoln which took the crowd. But the hit of the program was the Glendale quartet, which wound up its medley with the rendition of "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" which it sang with vim, and the guests insisted that it be sung three times.

HON. JOHN N. COLE

The post-prandial exercises were opened by Prof. Molloy, who after a characteristically graceful speech of welcome introduced as the first speaker the Hon. John N. Cole, speaker of the house of representatives. Speaker

Cole received an ovation, which indicated that if Lowell had anything to do with it, one of the other candidates would be spelling his name "Loose" while the third would be Frothingham, at the mouth only.

But it was a day and a night to make one forget all his troubles, including politics, and the speaker entered heartily into the spirit of the occasion, and soon had the audience convinced.

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**BASEBALL**  
**KETCHUPS vs. ELMS**  
AT SPALDING PARK  
Tomorrow (Saturday) at 3:15  
PURSE OF \$100.  
Admission, 15c; Ladies free.

# TOLD SAD TALE

## Woman Said Husband Abused and Neglected Her

Mrs. William H. Higgs related a sad tale of woe to the court this morning. She has five children, the youngest of which, nine months old, is sick and needs a mother's attention, but she has to work in the mill every day, while her husband hangs around the house or some liquor saloon. A week ago yesterday he gave her a black eye and yesterday he slapped her face twice. She said she has been trying to do her best to keep him and the children, but was getting discouraged and was going to secure a separation from him.

She was willing to do everything in her power to make home life happy for him, but he was not willing to do his share and as a result she has been leading the life of a drudge.

Higgs offered a few weary lame excuses and after the court had given him a good talking to he was sentenced to five months in jail, the sentence was suspended and he was placed in the hands of the probation officer for a term of three months.

**AFRAID OF HUSBAND.**  
Mrs. Patrick Donnell said that she was afraid to stay in the same house with her husband when he gets drunk. She said he was a good man when sober, but that he was very seldom sober. She said he spent his time around barrooms and got his liquor on "tick." He was placed on probation.

**WAS FINED \$10.**  
George H. Mahan pleaded guilty to being drunk also with assault and battery upon unknown persons. The arresting officer said that he met Mahan near the corner of Decatur and Salem streets about two o'clock in the afternoon. He saw Mahan strike some man with his fist. Mahan then went to the corner of Common street and struck half a dozen people. The officer advised Mahan to go home, but he refused to, whereupon he was placed under arrest. He was fined \$10 for the assault and the case of drunkenness was placed on file.

**THEY HAD A FIGHT.**  
George H. Spellman and John F.

Taft got into a fight on the North common yesterday afternoon about five o'clock and attracted a large crowd of people. They were arrested and in court this morning were fined \$10 each.

**LARCENY CHARGE.**  
The case of William Conroy, charged with drunkenness and the larceny of \$10 from Alfred E. Shaw, was continued till tomorrow morning, bail being placed at \$50.

**SUSPENDED SENTENCE.**  
Frank W. Merrill was in for the third time, but the court thought there was a chance for reformation and imposed a suspended sentence of three months in jail.

**FOUND NOT GUILTY.**  
John Conley denied that he picked \$250 from his room mate, Matthew Lusty. Lusty informed the court that he was out celebrating yesterday and was pretty drunk when he reached his boarding house in Colburn street. He went upstairs and found Conley in bed, but instead of going to bed he decided to go to sleep in a chair. Some time early this morning he said that Conley went through his pockets and stole about \$250. The court, however, was informed that when Lusty got drunk he generally gave his money to Conley. He said he kept Conley was found not guilty and discharged. He and Lusty left the court room side by side and chatted as though it was a commonplace occurrence to accuse a person of crime and then make up the differences.

**THE DRUNKS.**  
Bernard O'Neil, a third offender, was sentenced to one month in jail. John J. Leary who was under a suspended sentence of four months in jail was given another chance, being placed in the care of the probation officer. John P. Leary was fined \$5 as were Edward Roach and Edward J. Allen. There were four other drunks and 11 were released.

**PLACED ON FILE.**  
The case of Barney Scholsbeard, charged with obstructing the street, was placed on file.

## PARK BOARD SUPERINTENDENTS

GRAND RAPIDS, Mich.—The park and cemetery commissions have adopted formal resolutions in reference to criticisms that have been made against the superintendents of the public parks on account of their being engaged in private landscape work. The board takes the ground that the performance of such work for citizens of Grand Rapids results in the substantial improvement in the appearance of the city; and that when done for neighboring towns, they are simply doing a neighborly act which tends to raise the prestige of Grand Rapids in matters of outdoor art, besides having a tendency to educate the superintendents and give them larger experience. Finally, the board holds that the fine condition of the parks and cemeteries does not indicate any neglect and it would be unwise to cripple the usefulness of the superintendents by holding them down to hard and fast rules.

## OFFICIAL DINNER

In Honor of American Officers

SYDNEY, N. S. W., Aug. 21.—Following the official landing of the American visitors today, and their public reception by the state and commonwealth authorities, the city, the harbor and the shipping were brilliantly illuminated this evening. The governor of New South Wales, Sir Harry Rawson, gave an official dinner at seven o'clock in honor of the American officers, and the commonwealth government entertained the officers, sailors and marines of the fleet at theatre parties and at other places of amusement. The illuminations were striking. All the public buildings were outlined with numberless lights, there were countless devices and decorations conveying sentiments of welcome and fraternity displayed on every hand, private buildings vied with the municipal edifices in the brilliancy of their decorations, while the American battleships in the harbor did their full share, their being literally covered with lights, large and small, while the flashlights threw vivid streams of brilliancy in every direction.

The gorgeous spectacle was viewed by vast crowds that filled the streets of Sydney until a late hour.

The state banquet given by Sir Harry Rawson in the town hall was a brilliant function. There were upwards of 1000 guests and the balconies were thronged with ladies in evening dress. The hall was beautifully decorated and a large bust of President Roosevelt rested on an elevated pedestal behind the seat of Admiral Sperry.

Charles G. Wade, the premier of

New South Wales, presided. Alfred Deakin, the prime minister of the commonwealth, made a striking address of welcome. "Australia," he said, "in one body and soul in welcoming our American visitors. The sixteen white clad battleships in the harbor scarcely can be described as vessels of peace but they might rightly be called harbinger of arbitration. I trust that President Roosevelt will be informed in the words of the famous Captain Josiah Tattnall, that 'blood is, and always will be, thicker than water.'"

When Admiral Sperry rose and reiterated his former statement of the indebtedness of the American navy to the example of Great Britain he was given an ovation. He said he knew no better training for American naval officers than a systematic study of Great Britain's triumphs at sea. Something more than sentiment, he said, underlay the magnificent welcome that had been accorded them in Sydney. Ties of blood, community of interest and intermarriage united the American and the British peoples and these bonds would be drawn closer with the completion of the Panama canal.

## REPORT DENIED

THAT SEVERAL PERSONS WERE KILLED.

CLARKSBURG, W. Va., Aug. 21.—A report which became current last night of a wreck with several fatalities on the Pennsboro and Harrisville Narrow Gauge railroad at Pennsboro, proves to have been unfounded. While an engine pulling several coaches was taking water a loose engine collided with it, shaking up the passengers but injuring no one.

## ON DRESS PARADE

Yesterday was Firemen's Day and it was a great affair, but today is New York Cloak and Suit Co.'s day, for

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# JUDGE CROSBY RED CROSS TENT

## Will Give Yeggs Heavy Sentence

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—"If we could get some of the robbers and highwaymen into this court and give them all 20-year sentences in state prison, the epidemic of crime would soon be stopped."

This statement was made yesterday afternoon by Judge Crosby of the superior criminal court just before imposing a reformatory sentence upon John E. Graham, who had been convicted of giving straw bail.

Aside from flaying the yeggs, Judge Crosby also struck a blow at college graduates who become entangled in the meshes of the law. Upon this matter he said: "Graham is a Princeton graduate, and that is all the more reason why he should be punished for his training and education should have taught him better."

Not only Judge Crosby, but other judges have concluded to deal with criminals severely in the future and especially in assault cases. "This will be done," it is said, "in order to stamp out crimes which have been prevalent for the past six weeks in Greater Boston."

In doing this the judges are following the example of Judge Thomas Russell, who presided in the criminal court in the late '90s. At that time there was an epidemic of crime in Boston and many holdups. In all of these cases Judge Russell imposed a 20-year sentence.

Before adopting this system Judge Russell issued an order to the police that if they would bring in the guilty men he would stamp out crime and drive every crook from the city.

## FOUND DEAD

### TWO AGED MEN KILLED BY GAS.

WARREN, Aug. 21.—Two aged men, Cornelius Cronin and Daniel Haley, who had been associated since their childhood days in Ireland were found dead last night at the home of Cronin's daughter, Nellie and Mary, with whom the father lived. Death was caused by gas which escaped from a gas stove. Cronin was 81 years of age, and Haley, 80.

## Did Good Work at Muster Yesterday

The doctors in the Red Cross tent were kept busy during the day administering first aid to the injured. Dr. Daniel A. O'Hearn had general charge and he was ably assisted by Dr. Patrick Sullivan, Dr. Frank O'Sullivan, Dr. James Leary and Dr. Stephen Johnson. There were two orderlies from St. John's hospital in attendance. Twenty-two cases were treated during the day, a couple of the more serious cases being taken to St. John's hospital.

The following is a list of the accidents which were not published in yesterday's issue of The Sun:

George Stephenson, Gardner veteran, lacerated finger of left hand, lost nail.

William Costell, 21 East street, Boston, first finger of right hand caught in the brake of a machine. The finger was amputated at the first joint.

John H. Cheever, Roxbury, veteran, exhaustion.

George Macey, Portland, Me., veteran, scalp wound.

John Collemore, 49 Jefferson street, Worcester, veteran, exhaustion.

William Mitchell, veteran, Woonsocket, R. I., exhaustion.

Thomas Cady, veteran, Waltham, fracture of the left ankle, sustained while working a brake; removed to St. John's hospital.

John Pitts, veteran, Jamaica Plain, lacerated wound on chin. Two stitches taken.

A. P. Bateman, Edgewood, R. I., veteran, contused wound on the ring finger of the right hand.

Stephen Moch, 69 Faxon street, Newton, abdominal trouble.

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## FINED A CENT

### BECAUSE HE SAT ON A STONE WALL.

BROCKTON, Aug. 21.—For sitting upon the granite wall surrounding the beautiful home of Mrs. Mary Cobb Howard, one of the richest women in this city, Henry W. French, a young shoemaker, today, in the police court, was fined one cent, the smallest amount ever imposed here.



## ATHLETE HAYES

### To Get Great Reception in New York

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—On his return from England J. J. Hayes, the doughty little winner of the Marathon race, declared he had been fairly treated by the Brits and that he had no complaint to make. He was greeted by a throng of athletes who had preceded him and hailed as the man who had done most to uphold the prowess of the United States in the international events. New York is making extensive preparations to give the athlete a royal reception on Aug. 22. There will be a big street parade, speech making and a banquet. President Roosevelt also has invited the boys to visit them at Oyster Bay. In these pictures Hayes is shown surrounded by the athletes and others who met him at the pier.

## THREAT TO LYNCH

### Lynn Mob Wanted to String Up a Negro

LYNN, Aug. 21.—A mob of 1500 people, with shouts of "Lynch him; lynch him," tried to take away Henry Tyler, a negro, aged 30 years, from a reserve police officer in an alleyway near the New England Telephone and Telegraph company's building here last night, and had severely punished the colored man when seven police officers came to the rescue and succeeded in getting the prisoner to the station house before he was more badly hurt. Tyler, who was but recently released from state prison, was detected last night by Reserve Officer W. A. Crawley. It is alleged, in the act of breaking into the second hand store and auction shop of George Lambert on Oxford street, Officer Crawley sprang at Tyler, who turned upon the policeman, it is charged, and struck him a heavy blow over the head with a cold chisel, with which the negro had been trying to effect an entrance to the building. Although dazed by the blow, Crawley attempted to grapple with the negro at the same time drawing his revolver. The weapon was discharged but the bullet missed its mark. Tyler then attempted to hit the officer another blow with the chisel, but Crawley warned it off and the negro broke away and ran at full speed down the street with Crawley in hot pursuit, discharging his revolver two or three times to attract attention.

As the mixup occurred within a few



HARRY TAYLOR, The Negro Whom a Lynn Mob Wanted to Lynch.

steps of a crowded section of the city, a large crowd joined the officer in pursuit of the negro. In desperation Tyler dodged down an alleyway near the New England Telephone and Telegraph company's building, where Crawley caught up with him. The two men fell to the ground, each fighting hard for the upper hand, and both uttering cries. The crowd, which by this time numbered 1500, thinking that the officer had been shot, attempted to get at the negro. Someone started the cry "Lynch him; lynch him," when another police officer and a citizen jumped to Crawley's side to protect the now thoroughly frightened negro. The mob, however, persisted in its efforts to take away the prisoner, when six additional policemen rushed upon the scene, and bowling their way through the mob to Crawley's side surrounded Tyler and took him to the station house. There, he was locked up on a charge of at-

tempt to break and enter and assault upon a police officer. Crawley's wounds were attended to at the hospital where he was taken immediately, and in a short while he was able to resume his duties.

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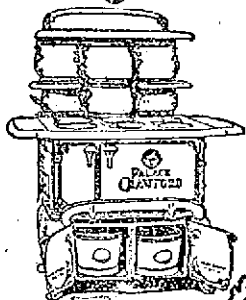
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## BALL CHILDREN

### KILLED BY THEIR MOTHER SAYS COURT.

BROCKTON, Aug. 21.—That Mrs. Mary E. Ball, now a patient at the Taunton insane asylum, killed her two children, Grace and Tommy Ball, whose bodies were found in the woods off Oak street, this city, May 28th, is the finding of Justice F. M. Bixby, who presided at the inquest held in Brockton several weeks ago.

The inquest report on one of the most baffling mysteries New England ever faced was filed yesterday and will be presented to the grand jury at the next session at Plymouth.

"I find and report that Thomas J. and Mary Grace Ball came to their deaths by violence at the hands of Mary E. Ball, their mother, while she was insane," is the most significant clause in the report.

It reviews the case in detail.

## KILLED FATHER

RALPHIGH, N. C., Aug. 21.—A special from Lahore says:

"Logan Jones, inflamed by drink, declared he would wipe out his family, and when he attempted to make good the threat, he was shot and killed by his 15-year-old son. He was also hit with an axe by another child. The boy who fired the shot was taken to jail."

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FURNISHINGS	
15c Hosiery black, tans, fancies	17c
15c Celluloid Collars, all sizes,	7c
\$1.00 Korn Kolor Coat Shirts,	50c
Box Reversible Collars,	15c
15c Fancy Border Handkerchiefs	5c

FURNISHINGS	
Boys' and Men's Dress Shirts,	23c
Overalls and Coats, union made,	43c
50c Underwear,	37c
Black Satin Shirts	39c
35c Ribbed Underwear	19c

MEN'S SUITS—Browns, Greys, Blues	
Men's Suits, all sizes, \$4.95, \$6.95, \$8.95	
Children's Knee Pants, all sizes	14c
Children's Overalls, sizes to 14	17c
Children's Suits, 3 to 8	95c

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# ASKS A REHEARING

## Government Files Petition in Standard Oil Case

### Claims That Court of Appeals Has Not Correctly Stated How Trial Judge Ruled — The Government Takes Issue With the Court on Several Points — Says Court of Appeals Handed Down An Erroneous Rule

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—A petition was filed by the government today for a rehearing by the United States court of appeals in the case of the government against the Standard Oil company of Indiana.

A synopsis of the petition is given below.

The government presents its petition in accordance with the rule of the court. The indictment in the case was for a violation of the Elkins act of February 19th, 1903, making it a crime to accept a concession whereby any property is transported in interstate commerce at less than the published and filed rate.

It was proved at the trial that the Chicago & Alton railway company transported to East St. Louis, Illinois and St. Louis, Missouri 1422 carloads of oil.

In all the dealings between shipper and carrier each carload was treated as a distinct transaction and handled as a distinct piece of business. The published and filed rates on this business were eighteen cents per one hundred pounds to East St. Louis, and nineteen cents and a half cents to St. Louis. The Standard Oil company actually settled on the basis of six cents to East St. Louis and seven and a half cents to St. Louis.

These facts were admitted. The Standard Oil company interposed a claim in defense that the Elkins act was unconstitutional; that the tariffs had not been posted in two public places at the stations, and interposed many technical defenses.

On but a single point involved in the trial up to the return of the verdict of guilty are the rulings of the trial judge criticized by the court of appeals. In all other particulars his rulings are sustained. The point on which the trial judge is reversed by the court of appeals relates to the rulings on the evidence and his charge to the jury with reference to ignorance on the part of the Standard Oil company of the lawful rate as a defense.

The court of appeals in its opinion has not correctly stated how the judge ruled on this subject.

It is said in the opinion that he refused to admit evidence to the effect that the Standard Oil company did not know what the lawful rate was. The fact is and the record so shows that all evidence tending to show ignorance on the part of the Standard Oil company was admitted for the consideration of the jury.

#### THE JURY'S VERDICT.

This evidence was largely that of the traffic manager of the Standard Oil company, Bogardus, who swore to a conversation with Hollands, the rate clerk of the Alton, in which he said Hollands told him that the rate had been filed. The government met this testimony by a great array of circumstances which tended to disprove it and the jury found in favor of the government.

The trial judge ruled that ignorance on the part of a shipper of what the lawful rate was could be interposed as a defense, but that it would not constitute a defense if it appeared that the ignorance was the result of neglect on the part of the shipper or of wilful failure on the part of the shipper to resort to the sources of information which were available.

The government contends that this is the correct construction of the statute on this subject.

The court of appeals lays down the rule that it is necessary for the government to show beyond a reasonable doubt, as a part of its case that the shipper actually knew what the lawful published and filed rate was.

The government contends that this is an impossible rule; that it is contrary to the purpose of the Elkins act; that

be prosecuted and how much they shall be fined.

The government contends in the petition that the court of appeals has done a great injustice to trial Judge Landis in mistating what he did in connection with the imposition of the fine on the Standard Oil company.

The circuit court of appeals in its opinion charges that Judge Landis assumed to fine the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, and imposed the large fine for the reason that he was satisfied that the Standard Oil company of New Jersey was not a "virgin offender."

The government shows in its petition that Judge Landis never referred to the Standard Oil company of New Jersey in this connection and that the language used in connection with the Standard Oil company of Indiana, and that nowhere were the proceedings directed or pretended to be directed against the Standard Oil company of New Jersey.

#### TAKES ISSUE WITH COURT.

The government takes issue with the court of appeals that Judge Landis' proceeding in this case "amounted to a strange doctrine in Anglo-Saxon jurisprudence," and says that the proceedings of Judge Landis are in accordance with the rule of procedure pointed out by Mr. Bishop in his work on criminal law as one of the elementary principles of that jurisprudence recognized from the earliest days.

The government takes issue with the circuit court of appeals as to its proposition that a defendant cannot be fined more than the value of the property which he possesses and states that this rule is an innovation in criminal law and if applied would destroy the enforcement of most statutes.

The government claims that the facts before the court of appeals justify the imposition of the penalty inflicted by the trial judge.

It appears from the record in the Circuit Court of Appeals that the net profit of the business of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, the corporation that Judge Landis fined, for the years during which the violations of the law for which it was convicted were committed and including the year in which it was indicted amounted to \$33,583,208.50.

#### ON THIS POINT THE PETITION STATES:

"We respectfully call the attention of the court to the statement of the Standard Oil company of Indiana on file in this case, referred to by the court in its opinion and treated as proper for consideration in determining whether or not the penalty was excessive."

That statement shows, with reference to the assets and liabilities and profits of the Standard Oil company of Indiana, the following:

#### 'STANDARD OIL CO. (Indiana).

Year	Gross Assets	Liabilities	Profits
1890	\$15,077,018.21	\$2,985,620.00	\$12,091,398.21
1891	15,435,213.71	2,963,417.01	12,471,796.70
1892	15,234,672.91	3,305,320.61	11,929,352.30
1893	15,277,618.70	4,355,296.12	10,922,322.58
1894	20,087,004.61	2,663,470.32	17,423,534.29
1895	20,743,361.57	2,435,347.29	18,308,014.28
1896	27,502,689.56	3,178,152.76	24,324,536.80

The punishment therefore is no more severe than that is inflicted upon a letter carrier who steals a letter and is sent to the penitentiary for three years, thereby depriving him of his earning capacity for that time. It is not nearly so severe as the minimum penalty of five years in the penitentiary imposed upon a banker who misapplies the funds of his bank.

The government claims that on account of the size of the fine alone, there is no necessity for a retrial of the case; that the Circuit Court of Appeals may, itself, name the fine which should be imposed and calls upon the court to do so in case it adheres to the view that Judge Landis abused his discretion in imposing so large a fine.

#### THE CONCLUSION.

The petition concludes:

"It is therefore respectfully submitted: That the opinion of this court is based upon a misconception of the record with reference to the rulings of the trial judge as to the admission of evidence tending to show want of knowledge, and with reference to his construction of the statute on that subject, and the theory on which the case was tried; that the evidence of Bogardus which it is claimed showed want of knowledge was admitted, that it was overcome, however, by the facts and circumstances of the case, and that the evidence as an entirety was sufficient to show actual knowledge, or what in law was its equivalent;

That the interpretation of the statute by this court, imposing no duty on the shipper and permitting a defense of ignorance to be made without regard to the negligence of the shipper, is contrary to the language of the statute and to its purpose, and seriously impairs the efficiency of the act;

That the ruling stated in the opinion as the basis for determining the number of offenses involves an erroneous construction of the statute and fails to take into consideration that the thing which is prohibited by the act is the transportation of property at the unlawful rate;

That the criticism of the trial judge for abuse of discretion rests upon a wrong assumption of what the trial judge actually did and assumes that he attempted to try and punish the Standard Oil company of New Jersey, when in fact, as appears from the record, the entire proceedings were directed against the defendant, the Standard Oil company of Indiana;

That the ruling stated in the opinion to the effect that a fine is excessive when it exceeds in amount the ability of the defendant to pay is an innovation in criminal law and if generally applied would prevent the practical enforcement of most criminal statutes;

That, in short, the opinion as it stands erroneously states material portions of the record; leaves doubtful in the trial judge's mind as to the application of the rule of law to be applied; both as to knowledge on the part of the shipper, and as to the number of offenses; appears to be in conflict with the language of the supreme court and with the previous language of the presiding judge of this court, and with the great object of legal authority; and, if permitted to remain unmodified, will tend to encourage disobedience to law, to impede the enforcement of salutary statutes and largely to defeat their purpose.

For the reasons stated we respectfully request that a reargument of this case be granted."

The petition is signed:

Charles J. Bonaparte,

Frank B. Kellogg,

Special Assistant to the Attorney Gen.

Edwin W. Sims,

United States Attorney,

James H. Wilkerson,

Special Assistant U. S. Attorney.

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#### \$5000 FUND

FOR THE AID OF DISABLED MINISTERS.

SARATOGA, N. Y., Aug. 21.—The will of Dr. Joachim Elmendorf of New York city, admitted to probate today, directs that at the death of his widow, \$5,000 shall be given to the Synod of the Reformed church of America, to create the Elmendorf fund, the income of which is to be annually given to the beneficiaries of the disabled ministers fund. The income from the estate is given to his widow during

her life time, and then the estate, which is valued at about \$75,000 is to be divided equally among the two daughters and one granddaughter of the testator, Mrs. Edward B. Judson of Saratoga, Mass., and Katherine Elmendorf Rodgers of New York city.

#### IS CAPTURED

AIN-ED-DOWLEH TAKEN BY REVOLUTIONISTS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Aug. 21.—A special dispatch received here from Tele-

ran says that Ain-Ed-Dowleah, who arrived outside Tabriz a couple of days ago at the head of 1200 government troops, has been captured by the revolutionists.

#### WON AN AUTO

BY AGREEING TO TAKE IT AWAY.

SPRINGFIELD, Aug. 21.—Affred Giard of 94 Adams street is the happy possessor of a touring car automobile, given away on Main street yesterday

afternoon, and he has it now at home. The car broke down on Main street, and as usual a crowd gathered. The owner of the car, a prominent physician, tried in vain to make the car go. Then he grew indignant and to the astonished crowd said he would give it away to anybody who would take it. Giard said he would and took it.

Mr. Sydney Martin of 57 Burt street with wife and family, arrived in Lowell yesterday after having spent the last six weeks in London, England.

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\$2.50 Pr.

A few pairs of ox-blood, two-eyelet sailor ties. Regular price \$3.50. To close

\$2.50 Pr.

A few Roman pumps. Regular price \$4.00. To close,

\$3.00 Pr.

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1 Pound Coffee }  
1-2 Pound Tea } All for 60c  
5 Pounds Sugar }

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## Security Belt Buckle

The special demonstration of the Security Belt Buckle closes Saturday, August 22, 1908, at 5 o'clock. This is the fourth week of splendid success. Come early and get your choice.

Prices 50c to \$4

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## Colored Sateen Specials

5000 yards Plain Colored Sateen, full 36 inches wide, colors blue, cream, white, grey and tan. Just the fabric for comforters and puffs, being right width and colorings. These goods are slightly imperfect, but the imperfections are so slight that they might be called perfect. Regular price for these goods 19c yard. Special to close

10c Yd.

Palmer St. Center Aisle.

## Shikie Pongee Silk Specials

A few hundred yards in remnants of this fashionable rough Pongee, of the Rajah variety, have just been received by us from the mills. Several dress patterns in Copenhagen, blues and natural Pongee shades. Remember there are only a few of these, so the early shoppers will be the ones that will get the benefit of this big reduction. Regular price for this quality of silks \$1.00 yard. To close

59c Yd.

Silk Dept. Palmer St.

## Clean-up Sale In Suit Dept.

White Linen Suits, were \$7.50, now..... \$2.98

White Muslin Two-Piece Dresses, were \$15.00, now..... \$5.00

Mohair and Panama Dress Skirts, blue and black only, were \$5.00, now..... \$2.98

White Muslin Two-Piece Dresses, were \$2.50, now..... 98c

White Muslin Kimonos, were \$1.25, now..... 69c

Children's White Lawn Dresses, sizes 6 to 11 years, were \$1.50 and \$1.08, now..... 49c

Fancy Lawn Kimonos and Dressing Sacques, were 98c, now..... 49c

Many other lots too small to mention, at very low prices for quick selling.

Cloak Dept. Second Floor.

## Big Bargains In MEN'S WEAR

Half Hose at 10c

60 dozen of these fine Cotton Hosiery, reinforced heel and toe, black and tan. Regular price 15c pair.

10c Pr. 3 for 25c

## BIG SHIRTS FOR BIG MEN At \$1.00

These are made extra large in the body, sleeves and arm sizes, 15½ to 18½ collar, made of fine quality madras and percale. So if you have trouble in getting a shirt full enough, then try one of these. Regular prices for these large shirts, \$1.25 and \$1.50.

Only \$1.00

## BOYS' BATHING SUITS At 50c a Suit

Boys' Bathing Suits, blue and black shirts, with quarter length sleeves and athletic style trunks to match.

Only 50c

## BATHING SUITS FOR MEN At 69c and \$1

Men's Bathing Suits, navy and black, guaranteed fast colors, sizes 34 to 46, shirts made with quarter sleeves and athletic trunks to match.

Only 69c and \$1

## WASHABLE NECKWEAR At 10c

25 dozen Reversible Four-In-Hands, made of white madras and chevrons, self figures. To close

10c, 3 for 25c

## NIGHT SHIRTS AT 69c

10 dozen Men's Night Shirts, odd lots and soiled garments, made to sell at 75c and \$1.50. To close

69c

## UNDERWEAR AT 50c

19 dozen Shirts and Drawers, made of white gauze and French balbriggan, assorted styles and broken sizes. These garments sold for 75c and \$1.00 when season opened. To close

50c

## UNION SUITS 69c, \$1

Only a few of these garments left. There is a big bargain here for you if we have your size. Regular price for these garments \$1.50 and \$2.00. To close

69c and \$1

## WORSTED RIBBED UNDERWEAR AT 50c

10 dozen Men's underwear made of fine worsted, natural color. These are slightly imperfect, but you would never know it unless we told you. To close

50c

Men's Dept. Merrimack St.

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Bleached Domet and Outing Flannel

Bleached Domet Flannel at mill prices, very fine and soft fleece:

25 inches wide, 7c value at 5c Yard

27 inches wide, 8c value at 6½c Yard

27 inches wide, 10c value at 8c Yard

36 inches wide, 12½c value at 10c Yard

Outing Flannel, yard wide, very heavy quality, all new patterns, pink, blue and cream, also fancy colorings. Regular price on the piece, 15c yard. Only 10c Yard

Outing Flannel, 27 inches wide, dark and light colors, fine heavy fleeced flannel. Regular price on the piece, 10c yard. Only 7c Yard

See Display in Palmer St. Window.

## White Bed Spreads

2 new cases of White Bed Spreads have been added to our White Bed Spread sale which is going on in our basement. These spreads are slightly imperfect but nothing to impair the wear of the spreads.

Prices 35 percent less than mill prices

## Crocheted Spreads.

75c value, only..... 59c

\$1.00 value, only..... 69c

\$1.25 value, only..... 79c

\$1.39 value, only..... 89c

\$1.50 value, only..... 98c

\$2.00 value, only..... \$1.19

## Marseilles & Satin Finish Spreads.

\$2.00 and \$2.50 values, only.... \$1.49

\$3.00 and \$4.00 values, only.... \$2.49

## SINGLE AND CRIB SPREADS, at 69c, 79c, 98c and \$1.30

Very Fine quality Percale, 32 inches wide, guaranteed fast colors, blue with polka dots and Shepherd plaids. Regular price 10c yard.... Only 6½c Yard

Yard wide Percale, in dark and light colors, all new patterns, guaranteed fast colors. Regular price 12½c yard. Only 9c Yard

4 cases of extra fine quality Dress Goods, Mohair, Sicilian and Cashmere, 36 to 50 inches wide. These are remnants and can be matched up in lengths for waists, skirts and shirt waist suits.

50c value, only..... 29c Yard

75c value, only..... 39c Yard

One case of fancy fall suiting, 29 inches wide, dark colors and a perfect imitation of wool suitings. Regular price 19c yard.... Only 12½c Yard

New assortment of Plaids just received, handsome and bright colorings with wool effect. Regular price 25c yard.... Only 12½c Yard

Extra Fine White Lawn, 40 inches wide, suitable for dresses, waists and aprons. Regular price 12½c yard. Only 9c Yard

Mercerized Sateen, yard wide, guaranteed fast black. Just the fabric for aprons and skirts. Regular price 20c yard.... Only 15c Yard

Outs Gingham, 30 inches wide, checks and stripes, large assortment of colors. Regular price 12½c yard. Only 9c Yard

## Boys' Wash Suits

50c Suits, only..... 35c

\$1.25 Suits, only..... 75c

\$1.50 Suits, only..... \$1.09

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JAMES E. O'DONNELL, Notary Public.

This is by far the largest net average circulation of any newspaper in Lowell.

### LABOR SHOULD DEMAND INVESTIGATION.

The labor unions of New England should take up the question of who is responsible for bringing thousands of Italians to the Wood mill of Lawrence under guarantee of steady work and good pay.

They should insist that the immigration department find out who is responsible for putting up great billboards in the cities of Italy, appealing to the people to leave their homes and go to Lawrence, Mass., to get rich by working in the Wood mill.

Several thousands came, but they have been thrown out of work, and a large number, it is alleged, have received financial assistance in returning to their own country.

It is the duty of the labor unions as the parties mainly affected to demand an investigation in order to find what company, what individual or what agency helped them to leave Lawrence. We are convinced that in this matter a crime has been committed against the people so deceived and against American labor. We believe, too, that an investigation of the right kind will bring to light who is to blame in the matter. It may be that the immigration department has been lax in the enforcement of the law in such matters, but if that department has reasons of its own for failing to act then appeal to a higher authority in order that the guilty parties may be exposed and punished, whether they turn out to be the management of the Wood mill of Lawrence or some conscienceless padrone who is taking advantage of the ignorance and cupidity of the people for his own aggrandizement.

When such bright prospects are held out to these people to induce them to leave their homes, is it any wonder they become desperate when they are left destitute in the land of the stranger? Is it any wonder that under such conditions they become bandits and pass from city to city like tigers at bay, ready to shoot down anybody who interferes with them.

The situation is very grave at the present time, and there is slight prospect of an improvement.

The republican party and the trusts for which it is sponsor are to blame primarily for the panic and all the evil consequences resulting therefrom.

If we want to get rid of the bandits we must provide them a means of sustenance and invite them to come in and live at our expense rather than continue to forage at large with revolvers in hand in order to obtain enough to keep them alive.

When the cold weather comes the men who are now living as bandits in the woods will have to come in or be frozen to death. During the hard times cities must be more liberal in aiding the poor or there will be deaths from starvation; there will be murders, suicides, burglaries, holdups and highway robberies.

### THE MUSTER A GREAT BOOM FOR LOWELL.

The muster of the New England Veteran Firemen's League, held here yesterday, was beyond question the best ever held in any New England city. The success of the event was a great boom for the city of Lowell. The vast multitude of strangers who visited us yesterday must carry away the most favorable impression of our city, and one that will doubtless induce them to drop in again whenever they can. The parade was the largest ever seen here without any exception, and a jollier or more orderly lot of men it would be impossible to find. It would be ungenerous in any notice of the success of the great parade, not to ascribe it to its prime mover, its first cause, its promoter, its organizer and perfecter, Mr. Humphrey O'Sullivan. He certainly deserves the gratitude of Lowell citizens for giving them a parade that must have cost him not less than \$10,000.

### NO UNOFFICIAL GRAND STANDS WANTED.

It would be a very selfish undertaking for any land owner along the route of the auto race on Labor day to erect grand stands to be rented during the race.

The Lowell Auto club depends mainly upon the revenue from the official grand stands to recoup them for the heavy expenses incurred in promoting the race and carrying out the arrangements in a creditable manner. The public will not favor any scheme of this kind, and no unofficial grand stands will be patronized.

### THE WAVE OF CRIME.

An apparent subsidence in the wave of crimes of violence in this section has been noticeable for a few days past. Weight is thus lent to the theory that the rage of lawless passions is largely attributable to atmospheric conditions, and that when the temperature becomes unbearable men go mad. The disturbances accompanying the recent term of excessive heat have certainly decreased in number since the weather became endurable.—Boston Post.

There is no reason to assume that the so-called "wave of crime" was due to the hot weather. It began with the curtailment in the factories, the first real outbreak being the shooting by bandits in Woburn. It is not likely to cease until the republican panic is lifted by the trusts.

It is not unbridled passion that drives these men to shoot and kill; it is anger and the lack of work.

### EDITORIAL COMMENT

#### TO ARM THE POLICE.

Boston Herald: It is gratifying to see public opinion in Massachusetts coming to support of The Herald's contention that the police shall be armed with first-class weapons and trained to use them; and that possession of weapons in this state, by other than officers of the law, shall be hedged about with strict provisions affecting dealers in weapons as well as those who purchase them. The city of Lowell has set about equipping its police with first-class weapons, equal to those which are likely to be used against officers by the lawless, and it will insist on practice in use of the weapons. The town of Wellesley has taken similar action. Boston still is satisfied with a state of relative inefficiency and its superior police officials discount the chronicles which show how crime abounds. Chicago is busy enforcing a new ordinance compelling registration of all weapons, antique as well as modern, and is insisting on strict licensing of persons owning or carrying them. Chief Shipley says that this policy has reduced the practice 50 per cent.

#### PHENOMENA OF HEREDITY.

Philadelphia Telegraph: It is one of the phenomena of heredity that a boy wants to be what his father was—if a shoemaker then a shoemaker, if an iron worker then an iron worker. If an artisan of any line then an artisan in that line; and the father and mother who have come to hate the smell of leather, or the grime of the smithy, the oil waste of the machine, or the sweat of down-right hard work, cajole or coerce that boy into something that is congenially dull or respectably stupid, and kill the germ that would have produced the manufacturer, the mechanical engineer or the capitalist.

#### SHELDON IS DISAPPOINTED.

Boston Traveler: George R. Sheldon, treasurer of the republican national committee, has lost the enthusiasm with which he started to collect money without appealing to corporations, and now says that he regards that portion of the law which forbids contributions to party funds by corporations as "foolish," and corporations should be allowed to help the election of any candidate whom they think will be instrumental in conserving their interests. In view of Mr. Taft's

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Including Reminders of Rogers Peet's, now

All in the sale are this season's finest fancy worsteds, blue serges and black and blue unfinished worsteds—and with these a group of high priced winter suits. No suit ever sold below \$15—most of them were \$20—a fair share were \$25, all now **\$12.50**

### MEN'S FIRST-RATE SUITS \$7.75

We never put in stock suits to sell below \$10. We have brought together what we had of men's suits that sold for \$10 and \$12, some even more expensive. Fancy worsteds, AMERICAN WOOLEN CO.'S Blue Serges and All Wool Black Thibets. Every coat made with hand-felled collar. These \$10 and \$12 suits, all now **\$7.75**

### YOUNG MEN'S SUITS \$7.75

Smartest cut. Every suit this season's and as good today as when these sold for \$10 and \$12. Sizes 32 to 36 breast measure. This sale affords a splendid chance to fit out the young man or large boy for school—and save dollars on a good suit.



## Final Mark Down on Low Shoes

We revise prices today for the last time.

230 pairs of low shoes—smart styles—gun metal, velour calf, Russia calf, tan and patent colt, in tie or button oxfords, sold for \$4.00 and \$3.50, now to close **\$2.50**

## Smart Styles of Low Shoes \$1.95

All of the small lots of gun metal, patent colt and tan shoes, that sold for \$2.50 and \$3, now in one group for **\$1.95**

## JEWELS STOLEN

They Were Valued at \$50,000

NEW YORK, Aug. 21.—From a treasure room in the country mansion of Commodore Frederick G. Bourne at Oakdale, L. I., the location of which has been a family secret since the mansion was erected, jewels valued at more than \$50,000 have been stolen. The jewels were those worn by Commodore Bourne's three daughters at the horse show, the opera and other functions famous for the display of gems worn by society leaders. Although the robbery took place nearly two months ago, it was not until today that the facts became known. Every effort has been made to recover the diamonds through the

agency of private detectives without appealing to the police. The scene of the robbery is in the heart of the millionaire colony of Long Island.

The secret of the treasure room was sedulously guarded by the family for many years. Not even personal friends who believed they had inspected every apartment in Indian Neck hall, as the mansion is known, were aware that the room existed.

Commodore Bourne and his family left Indian Neck hall two months ago for Dark Island on the St. Lawrence river while extensive alterations were being made on the mansion. It is said the plans called for an expenditure of nearly \$500,000, which made it necessary to intrust the secret of the treasure room to one or two expert mechanics.

Following the departure of the family 100 men were engaged on the repairs. It is not definitely known when the treasure room was invaded, but a member of the family discovered the robbery and reported immediately to Commodore Bourne. He insisted that

absolute secrecy be preserved, and engaged private detectives.

Disguised as artisans, they joined in the activities of repairs on the mansion and thus became acquainted with all of the workmen. They accepted the theory that some of the men held the key to the mystery of the robbery.

It was said last night that the detectives have centered their investigation on two men, and are seeking to learn if they are the ones to whom the secret of the treasure room was intrusted. No trace of the stolen jewels has thus far been found. They belonged to the Misses Marion, Marjorie and Florence Bourne.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Howes of Walker street are staying at the Taylor cottage, Salisbury beach, and have as their guests Mr. and Mrs. George A. Smith, Rev. Geo. H. Howes, Miss Edith V. Cokerille and Miss Susan C. Lynch.

## RACE RIOTING

Broke Out in Chicago Yesterday

CHICAGO, Aug. 21.—In a fight yesterday between white and black dock laborers, employed on the Western transit company's wharves, growing out of antagonism which developed since the Springfield riot, five men were injured and the police restored order only after a free use of clubs and by threats to shoot.

Some of the whites declared they would not go back to work today unless the negroes quit. This the latter refused to do, and a fight ensued in which Hugh Brady, white, was stabbed by a negro. The fighting then became general. Bricks and clubs were used freely. The trouble attracted the attention of the white and negro laborers employed by the Lehigh valley transportation company, and they ran to the scene and took sides.

Riot calls were sent in and policemen were rushed to the docks. They charged the rioters with drawn clubs and succeeded in arresting Hawkins, the negro who is alleged to have stabbed Brady.

Fearing that an attempt would be made to take the colored prisoner from them, the policemen drew revolvers and threatened to shoot the first man who made an advance. This had the desired effect and further trouble was avoided.

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## LOST HER MONEY SCHOOL ROMANCE

Poor Woman Robbed of \$1500 Has Ended in An Elopement

MANSFIELD, Aug. 21.—Pickpockets operating either in the terminal station, Boston, or on a late afternoon train from Boston to Mansfield yesterday relieved Mrs. Samuel Cook, a woman of humble circumstances of this place, of \$1500 in money and two bank books. The money was part payment of an award by the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R. company for the death of Edward Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cook, who was killed four years ago on the railroad. He was a fireman.

Mrs. Cook, her husband and their son Grover went to Boston yesterday and received the large sum at the office of a lawyer named Fuller. The family returned directly to the station, and while in the waiting room before the departure of the train Mrs. Cook says she took the 1500 dollar bills from her bag, rolled them up, covered them with a silk cloth, and then placed the package back in the bag.

She thought the money was safe, but when she arrived home she discovered that she carried an empty satchel. Mrs. Cook says she sat alone for nearly the entire trip to Mansfield. "My husband and son were in the smoker. No one was near me in the car," she said.

The disappearance of the money is considered mysterious by the family. They have no idea when the robbery was committed. The police and railroad authorities, upon being notified, began a search of the train and for suspicious characters, but had rounded up no clues last night. The Boston police are also at work on the case.

The loss caused Mrs. Cook great mental anguish, and it was with great difficulty that friends pacified her. Her husband was also made ill by the affair. One bank book was from a Newport, N. H., bank, and had deposits to the amount of \$60. The other was from the Boston Penny Savings bank, and showed deposits of about \$100.

PROVIDENCE, Aug. 21.—A romance of high school days ended yesterday in the marriage of Miss Christine Lutfela Wyer and Ellsworth T. Rundlett, each 22 years old, at the residence of the Rev. Alexander Mitchell of this city, at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The young people came from Portland, Me., and left their homes early yesterday morning.

The bride is the daughter of George A. Wyer, a wholesale fish dealer of Portland and Boston, who is considered one of the wealthy men of Portland. He is a member of the firm of Wyer & Trefflen at 75 Commercial wharf, Boston. Their home is on West street, Portland. Mr. Wyer was at his place of business in Boston yesterday and late last evening knew nothing of the marriage.

Young Rundlett is a clerk for Burnham & Morrill, the largest cannery concern in Portland. His father, Fred J. Rundlett, is the manager of the department store of Brine Bros.

The young people are both graduates of the Portland high school and have been going together for several years, but that they had any idea of a runaway marriage was carefully kept from even their most intimate friends.

Miss Wyer has been summering with her family at Bridgton, Me. Early yesterday morning she returned to Portland and told her aunt, who was at home, that she was going to Prince's Point to spend the day with friends. She left her suit case at home, and her real intentions were not suspected.

Mr. Rundlett did not hear of the marriage until he was told last evening. He said that, so far as he knew, there had never been any objection to the match, and could not see why the young people had not waited.

### AT ST. JOHN'S

PREPARATORY COLLEGE AT DANVERS READY.

The second opening of St. John's Preparatory college of Danvers bids fair to establish a high mark in its history. Founded last year by the Xaverian Brothers, it was the hope of the originators to be able to start with a small enrollment, but so strongly has the project been received of preparing the Catholic youth of New England for college under the eye and direction of religion that applications were far in excess of expectations. With such a large number to choose from it was a very easy task to establish a high mark for qualifications.

The managers, under the direction of Bro. Benjamin, have spent a busy summer preparing for the opening on Sept. 10th.

A magnificent chapel, accommodating 400, a dining hall with a seating capacity of 300 and an athletic and baseball field built upon the style of the Polo grounds of New York are a few of the prominent features. The gymnasium opened last year has been completely fitted out with all kinds of apparatus.

The professors live and mingle with the student body constantly; interest themselves in their sport, frequently participating in their games, direct their studies, and strive by gaining their affection to make what is naturally irksome to the young light and pleasant.

The college can be reached from Boston, Lynn, Salem, Peabody, Lawrence, Lowell, etc., by the B. & M. railroad, stopping off at Percroft station, or by the electric-Lawrence & Salem car, or by the Middleton car from Salem stopping at Nichols street, a few minutes walk from the grounds. At Lawrence and Salem connections may be had with all surrounding towns.

## WOMAN'S LAWYER

Says Mrs. Gardner is Innocent of Charges Made

BOSTON, Aug. 21.—That Mrs. John L. Gardner has paid no fines or penalties to the United States customs authorities for goods brought into this country by Mrs. Emily Crane Chadbourne of Chicago, and that the articles in question, while owned by Mrs. Gardner, were loaned by her to Mrs. Chadbourne, to be kept in Mrs. Chadbourne's London house to await lower duties, and, finally, that they were brought to this country without the consent or knowledge of Mrs. Gardner, were the three striking points in a long interview given yesterday by Henry W. Swift, trustee of the Isabella Stewart Gardner museum on the Fenway and legal adviser of Mrs. Gardner. "Mrs. Gardner," he said, "told me the whole story, in so far as she knew it."

Mrs. Chadbourne is at the present time. "Of course, it was very foolish of Mrs. Chadbourne to bring these objects to this country and not give the full valuation of them. I imagine she regarded them, because of having had them in her own house in London for about two years, as in a sense her own household goods, and it is probable that she thought because of the fact they had been in her house that length of time she could legally bring them to this country as her own household property."

"Do you know that Mrs. Chadbourne has paid this \$70,000 on the goods?"

"No. We know nothing about it. I know that Mrs. Gardner has not paid any money on the objects. I can't un-



derstand, however, if the \$70,000 has been paid, as required by law, why there should be anything further to pay or how the custom officials can hold the goods. But, as I say, we know nothing about the matter, and we have not heard from Mrs. Chadbourne.

### DENIES STORY

"This talk about Mrs. Gardner's protesting when the customs officer talked with her and his confronting her with the piece of registered tapestry, when she confessed, is all rot. When the customs officer called on Mrs. Gardner she told him just what I've told you. She explained the circumstances of Mrs. Chadbourne's being in possession of the objects, but disclaimed any knowledge of their having been brought to this country."

"I don't believe the objects are worth any \$50,000, as has been said. They are not worth probably more than \$50,000 or \$60,000 at the outside. I hope Mrs. Gardner will be able to get them, however. They are objects which she purchased in Europe at different times through a number of years. I believe she purchased a lot of them when she was in Europe a few years ago. I don't believe there is any armor or any objects of vertu in the collection as has been stated. Of course we can't tell definitely anything about the matter until Mrs. Gardner hears from Mrs. Chadbourne."

### TAKE BRIDE AWAY

Back to Care of State Board

MIDDLEBORO, Aug. 21.—Edgar French, aged 25, and Ethel Packard, 16, were married last May at Taunton and have since been a fond and devoted couple. But yesterday their life of peace and contentment was rudely interrupted by a visitor of the state board of charity, whose action resulted in their separation and the forced return of the girl bride to the custody of the state board.

About six months ago the couple met at Reading, where both were employed. Their friendship progressed, and in May they decided upon marriage. A license was procured and they started out to find a clergyman who would perform the ceremony. They were unsuccessful in one place and another, till at last at Taunton, where French formerly lived, they secured Rev. Mr. White of the Methodist church in marry them. The bride's youth made it difficult to secure a clergyman to conduct the marriage ceremony.

In the intervening months they were employed together on a farm in this section, and on Wednesday they arrived at Andrew W. Miller's big country estate at Fall Brook, where they had secured positions, the young woman in the household, while her husband was to care for the cattle.

They were just comfortably located when a strange woman came to the house yesterday and after questioning the girl requested her to accompany her to Boston, and back to the state board's charge.

Remonstrance was made by the husband, but it was of no avail, and the girl went along, weeping bitterly.

Young French says he will at once start to get his wife back. He says a great injustice has been done them both by the separation. They were getting along well and their life was very happy.

French is well spoken of by people at Fall Brook, where he was employed on the Miller farm about a year ago.

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